THE WEATHER

Unsettled, probably rain or snow tonight or Saturday morning; colder Saturday.

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"Knicker Ball" At Auditorium Tonight

ONLY COMPLETE NEW SYSTEM WILL FILL CITY'S NEEDS

F. C. Church, Jr., Chairman of Chamber of Commerce Fire Prevention Committee, Throws Light Upon Question of Installation of Modern Fire Alarm Signal System in Lowell—Cost High, But Unavoidable, He States

At the request of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce, Frederick C. Church, Jr., of F. C. Church & Co., and chairman of the chamber's committee on fire prevention, has investigated the approximate cost and practicability of installing a modern fire alarm signal system in Lowell, paying particular attention to the phase relating to whether the system proposed by the Gamewell Co. engineers, is in excess of the requirements of the national board of fire underwriters.

In a letter written by him today to George F. Wells, secretary of the Lowell chamber, he says only a complete new system of manual type will fill the city's needs and states that any intimation that the installation of an entire new system is in excess of the requirements of the underwriters is not true.

There is no other source from which such equipment may be secured than the Gamewell Co.; his letter states, and the only possible reductions in cost of installation would come through the

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NEW STANDARDS FOR TEACHERS

Must Establish Them to Solidify Profession, Says Mrs. Gardner Pearson

Member of Lowell School Committee Speaks at Worcester Conference

(Special to The Sun)

WORCESTER, Feb. 2—Speaking here this afternoon before the conference of Massachusetts school committees and superintendents, Mrs. Alice F. D. Pearson of Lowell declared the commonwealth must establish minimum standards for men or women who would enter the teaching profession, or the approval of the school superintendent should be a prerequisite to prevent unfit persons from being appointed as members of school systems.

Mrs. Pearson, a member of the Lowell school committee, was one of several speakers during a discussion of the topic, "The Status of the Teacher in Massachusetts." She prefaced her talk with a review of her own experiences in college and training school, preparatory to her entrance into the teaching profession.

"The teacher of today," she said, "must first study her pupil; second, investigate his or her surroundings; third, study the influences which are forming character in and out of school; fourth, help to develop his standards and ideals; fifth, govern them and show them how to live, and, lastly, instruct them."

Continuing, she said:

"A decade ago it never occurred to a teacher to question whether each child was in his right 'stall,' now it is very necessary for her to help him to decide or possibly advise the parent whether or not a vocational school would not be the proper place for her particular child. The problem of the teacher grows more complex every day, the pressure of numbers has led to the invention of various mechanical

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BONUS FOR EMPLOYES

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Formal announcement was made today that the Endicott-Johnson corporation would pay approximately 12,000 workers a bonus of $245.44 each, computed on the week's working hours. An employe who had not lost any time during the 52 weeks will receive the full benefits and others in proportion to the weeks they have worked.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Exchanges $1,130,000,000; balances $100,000,000.

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Exchanges, $77,000,000; balances, $13,000,000.

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BUYS BIG LAND TRACT

E. W. Douglas Plans Extensive Residential Development in Andover Street

The contemplated purchase by E. W. Douglas, local contractor, of more than a quarter of a million square feet of land in Andover street for the purpose of extensive residential development, was announced today.

The land involved, comprising 240,870 square feet, or approximately six acres, and carrying an assessment of $7200, is a part of the Freeman B. Shedd estate on the south side of Andover street, in an exclusive residential section and is

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DEMPSEY ESTATE SOLD

Adam Guilmette Buys One of the City's Most Pretentious Residences

The George C. Dempsey estate, "The Briars," situated in outer Andover st., and one of the city's most pretentious residences, was purchased today by Adam Guilmette of Hildreth street, former owner of the Honey Crust bakery for a sum in the neighborhood of the assessed valuation of the property, which is upwards of $20,000.

Mr. Guilmette will occupy the lower floor of the residence and will convert upper floors into kitchenette apartments. A portion of the land of the estate, comprising four and one-third acres, will be maintained, while the remainder of it will be divided into building lots.

The estate embraces a residence of 19 rooms and extensive stables and is situated several hundred feet back from the street line. It has not been occupied since the Dempseys moved to Brookline several years ago. Although assessed for $29,250, the residence could not be erected today for $75,000. It is of superior construction throughout and is so designed as to allow for fairly easy conversion into apartments.

The sale was handled by E. Gaston Campbell, real estate broker, and Jas. J. Kerwin, attorney, representing Abigail H. Dempsey, in whose name the property was registered.

ASH COLLECTION BACK ON NORMAL SCHEDULE

The city ashes and waste collection division has worked its way back to a normal schedule and this noon 60 "rookies" were laid off, bringing the force down to its winter complement of about 70 men.

Belvidere will get an ash collection tomorrow, which is its usual day in the week's schedule.

Ever since the heavy January snows the ash division has been trailing its schedule, but has been working with augmented forces to catch up. Today it is neck and neck with itself and plans to carry on with its usual force for the remainder of the winter.

With today's warm sun beating down on ice and snow covered sidewalks, Supt. Harry Doherty of the street department calls it to mind that this is a splendid and auspicious time to clean walks of all such accumulations. Do not toss this ice or snow into open gutters, however, he adds, but throw it over into the street proper.

E. SUMNER MANSFIELD, NOTED LAWYER, DEAD

NORTH SCITUATE, Feb. 2.—E. Sumner Mansfield, corporation lawyer, specialist in international law and Belgian consul in Boston from 1894 until the end of the World war, died at his home here yesterday. He was born in Norwich, Conn., in 1847. He practiced law in New Orleans for several years. He was decorated by King Albert for his work for Belgium during the war.

Winter Carnival Halted Temporarily by Rain, Continues Tonight With Knicker Dance a Big Feature

Photo by Will Rounds

MAYOR DONOVAN STARTS FIRST TOBOGGAN

Lowell's Winter Carnival program, disrupted and seriously curtailed last night by sudden and drenching rain, will be continued this evening, with toboggan races and ski jumping contests at Fort Hill park, to be followed by a knicker dance at the Auditorium at 10 o'clock.

Beautiful weather today made the continuance of the carnival possible, after a most disappointing night, when it seemed as if the weather man in his contrariness was about to let down a water curtain that would entirely obliterate the affair and wash all the snow from the hillside.

Even though the weather had not cleared today, the carnival would have been acclaimed a success, for beginning at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and continuing until nearly 9 o'clock in the evening, upwards of 25,000 men, women and children thronged the park and found real and novel enjoyment in the events which were held. Although it was believed the carnival would prove an attraction of considerable magnitude, no such crowd was anticipated and it at once showed the committee the possibilities of a similar affair upon a much larger scale next year.

In preparation of tonight's sports, park department men worked all forenoon and afternoon today tamping down the ski jump take-off and building up the toboggan slides which softened considerably under yesterday's sun and

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FOOD SUPPLIES GETTING LOW

Germans Claim Congestion of Rolling Stock Interferes With Food Shipments

Resumption of Partial Train Service Reported From Occupied Area

Appeal of German Labor to U. S. Congress Without Government Approval

(By the Associated Press)

While the grip of the Franco-Belgian industrial control of the Ruhr is being felt in unoccupied Germany to which coal and coke shipments have been completely cut off, the pinch of hunger is beginning to threaten the Ruhr itself, according to German authorities. Food supplies are getting low in many towns and consultations of government food officials on the situation are in progress in Berlin.

The authorities of occupation have indicated their intention not to interfere with food shipments but the Germans contend the congestion of rolling stock at the frontiers is inevitably causing much interference.

Resumption of partial train service is reported from the occupied areas. While there is nothing definite to show that the railroad strike settlement reported Thursday night has been made effective throughout the Ruhr, the strikers appear to have gone back to a large extent in the Cologne area, as forecast, and on many of the interior railroad lines in the Ruhr the German employes are reported again at work.

Some trains began operating in and out of Duesseldorf, where the station was reopened after being closed a week.

The appeal of German labor to the American congress, asking American help to "save Europe and the world from inevitable disaster," is declared in Berlin messages to have been made in entire independence of German official circles.

An appeal sent by the archbishop and bishops of Sweden to President Harding points to the serious condition in Central Europe and asks American assistance for obtaining a straightforward agreement between the powers to relieve the tension.

GRIP lost, containing discharge papers with owner's name and address and other papers valuable only to owner. Person is known who has same. Return and no questions asked. Reward, 252 Middlesex st.

NORTH POMONA GRANGE

Many Grangers Attend Meeting in Odd Fellows Hall —Lively Debate

The Springfield gas tank explosion, the Lausanne conference, $32-per-ton coal and United States senate war debt debates all took back seats today when Middlesex county grangers met in lively debate in Odd Fellows hall, Centralville, to compare the profit qualifications of one full-blooded prolific Ayrshire cow and a flock of registered Rhode Island Red laying pullets. At 12.30 o'clock when the ladies of West Chelmsford grange begged everybody to come downstairs to a farmers' dinner, the debate was called off with no winners announced.

It was another big day in Middlesex North Pomona grange circles, with attendances large both morning and afternoon. Master Clyde Prescott of Westford presided from the start, for the first time, and the new leader received a splendid and most encouraging reception.

Lecturer Mrs. Grace Dawson presided as usual at the side table during the morning session, that began at 10.30, and jotted down happenings and handling the delivery of reports of past meetings and committee doings.

The morning was devoted almost exclusively to poultry problems. Many farmers are increasing their flocks this season, and all reported their best birds of the pullet brand laying nicely and products bringing very good prices. Finest fresh eggs are selling for as high as 75 cents in some country towns, but the average price around Lowell today runs from 62 to 65 cents per dozen for the fancy fresh. Some Dracut eggs right out of the hennery have sold as low as 58 cents per dozen, but that price is not a popular one with anybody except the egg buyer.

The debate regarding the value of one cow as compared with a nice flock of fifty "real good laying hens," created more discussion than a

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U. S. SENATE IN STORMY SESSION

Heflin Twice Rebuked for References to Wadsworth and Couzens

Senate Also Expunges From Records Remarks by Couzens Regarding Heflin

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Senator Heflin, democrat, Alabama, was twice rebuked by the senate today for language he used in references to Senators Wadsworth, republican, New York, and Couzens, republican, Michigan. By a vote of 40 to 28, his remarks regarding Senator Wadsworth were held to be improper, and, then without a record vote, the senate expunged remarks regarding Senator Couzens.

At the same time, in one of the stormiest sessions of recent years, the senate also expunged from its records remarks made by Senator Couzens regarding Senator Heflin.

THIS IS GROUNDHOG DAY

Back to Warm Quarters Went Mr. Hog—More Winter Weather

Mr. G. Hog walked right out and turned around and walked right back again.

Too much sunshine for Mr. G. Hog, but that menacing black shadow on the snow! Gee! That was the worst of all.

And so back to the old tunnel home down below and six weeks more of old King Winter's stings and arrows.

Old Sol's determination to shine today was responsible for Mr. G. Hog's

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TAXICAB DRIVER AND PASSENGERS SAVE LIVES OF DRACUT FAMILY

Home of James J. McManmon on Lawrence Road Fired by Incendiaries at Early Hour This Morning—Kerosene Used on Piazza and Front of House —Authorities Are Investigating

The timely arrival of an automobile at an early hour this morning probably saved the home and family of James J. McManmon on the Lawrence road in Dracut when the driver of the automobile and his passengers discovered fire well under way on the piazza of the McManmon residence. They succeeded in awakening Mr. McManmon and the fire was quickly extinguished.

It was the most dastardly case of incendiarism and attempt at human life that has been recorded in these parts for several years. There is little doubt but what Mr. McManmon and his family would have been burned to death but for the timely arrival of the autoists.

It was William Sullivan, a driver for the Red Line taxi service, who first discovered the fire. He was on his way to Lowell from Lawrence with the Higgins' Dixie Land orchestra and as he neared the home of Mr. McManmon, the well known florist, a blaze attracted his attention. A second later others in the car had also

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NON-ESTABLISHMENT OF 1923 SALARIES BY COUNCIL WILL RETARD WORK ON BUDGET

Although the budget and audit commission went into session with Mayor John J. Donovan at 2 o'clock this afternoon to consider the 1923 municipal budget, Chairman Tyler A. Stevens said he did not see how very much progress can be made until the city council establishes salaries for all departmental heads for the current year.

The commission during its deliberations will run up against a number of departmental estimates in which are included provisions for salary increases and inasmuch as the budget board has no jurisdiction over them, it will be unable to establish or complete a true budget of its own for presentation to the mayor.

When asked today when the council will act upon the salary question, Pres. James J. Gallagher said he will try to appoint a committee on salaries prior to the regular council meeting next Tuesday night and will make an effort to have this committee go into session in time to have a report ready for presentation at the regular session. Pres. Gallagher realizes the importance of the matter and desires to co-operate in every way with the budget and audit commission.

Department heads asked to appear before the commission this afternoon include city messenger, inspector of wires, superintendent of moths, purchasing agent, sealer of weights and measures and elections commission.

THREE-FOLD INVESTIGATION OF BIG SPRINGFIELD EXPLOSION

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 2.—The explosion that shook this city, with three deaths and injuries to more than half a hundred persons in the wreckage of windows and walls over a wide area, yesterday, was still unexplained today. That it was due primarily to a leakage of gas in the purifying plant of the Springfield Gas Light Co., where it occurred, was admitted by company officials, but how this loose gas became ignited was not established.

Three Fold Investigation

State and municipal inspectors were working with those of the company, in a three fold investigation that had as its primary object, aside from placing responsibility, determination of the question whether in the purifying processes there was danger of a recurrence of the blast. Arthur S. Hall, general superintendent of the company, and Captain Herman Brugl, the company's supervising engineer, agreed that quantities of gas got away from the filter boxes from time to time, but thought there was no extraordinary hazard in the condition.

Suits For $57,000

No authoritative statement concerning the cause of the explosion has yet been forthcoming but state investigators who have interviewed six men employed in the purifying tank building, where it is admitted the explosion occurred, said they were convinced that gas leaked from a water-locked valve in which the water had become low. How the gas ignited, is not known for the men interviewed agree that no one was smoking.

The list of casualties remained unchanged today, with three dead. There are four persons on the danger list in hospitals. Twenty-five persons remain in hospitals and 28 have been discharged.

Suits totalling $57,000 were brought today against the Springfield Gas Light Co., for property damage, resulting from the explosion.

ALLEN ORDERED TO QUIT

Directed to Discontinue His Unofficial Relations With Rhineland Commission

COBLENZ, Feb. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—Major General Henry T. Allen, who commanded the American forces in occupied Germany recently withdrawn, has been directed by the state department in Washington to discontinue immediately his unofficial relations with the Rhineland high commission.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight

SLOW TRAIN DELAYS LOWELL STUDENTS

As result of a number of complaints received from Lowell boys and girls attending schools in Boston, Mayor John J. Donovan will attempt to obtain more satisfactory service to the Hub from the train which leaves here at 7.56 a. m. Complaints are to the effect that the train is delayed for different reasons while in transit and the result is arrival in Boston considerably later than the scheduled time and Lowell students are unable to reach their schools before morning sessions begin.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight

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MECHANICS' SAVINGS BANK INC. 1861 IN LOWELL
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Bostonian Goes to Europe For Rest And Gets It—By Capturing Memel

ANTHONY IVAS, HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN, PAUL AND STANLEY

By N.E.A. Service

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Anthony Ivas, banker and insurance broker of South Boston, had a nervous breakdown.

To rest up he sailed for Lithuania on a visit to his parents. He cured his ragged nerves by starting a revolution that was heard around the world!

Ivas, who is 36, is the man who captured Memel. And now he's a hero there, and they call him the "Uncle Sam of Lithuania." Over there he's the "de facto president" of Lithuania. Here he is president of the Baltic States Financial corporation, owns a real estate agency, a three-story building, and a banking, insurance and steamship business. His home is on a boulevard overlooking Dorchester bay, where he has a wife and two children.

"His letters are full of politics which I don't understand," said Mrs. Ivas, telling of his strenuous rest cure and his triumphs.

This is what his letters told: When he reached Memel he saw the Lithuanians suffering oppression from the government. So he started a tour of speech-making, urging the peasants to form their own government. And he put pep in his plea by digging up 1,000,000 marks—$100 in real money!—to start a freedom fund. The result was a rise to arms—and the capture of the Memel district.

Ivas went revolutionizing with the same enthusiasm that marked his rise in America. When he came to South Boston 19 years ago, a youth of 17, he was immediately cheated out of his small savings by a fellow countryman. He started saving again and laid the foundation for his present business.

Business was not neglected on that strenuous trip back to Memel, either. Besides running a revolution and mending his nervous system, he found time to open an agency of his South Boston business in Kovna and another in Memel. He predicts that Memel will be a "second New York," says his wife.

"Of course, I am proud of what he has done," said Mrs. Ivas, "but I've cabled him to come home home. He may get shot if he stays over there! I've just had a cable from him in which he says he is returning some time in February. I think he needs a rest."

His son, Paul, who is five, isn't worried about his father getting shot.

"My daddy can lick anybody in Europe," he said, proudly. "I want him home, though, for he promised to bring me a jackknife."

Thoughtful Nurse Advises Mentho-Laxene

"I thoroughly enjoy recommending Mentho-Laxene because almost magical results are secured in acute and stubborn coughs and colds.

"The very first dose tends to stop the sneezing and snuffling; check the 'tickle' or spasm, that causes severe coughings

loosen the catarrhal phlegm and stop the running secretions of nostrils and eyes.

"You actually feel its soothing, penetrating, healing action on the membranes of the nostrils, throat and air passages; yet it positively contains no opiates, narcotics or chloroform!"

Use it full strength or mix with sugar syrup into a full pint of laxative tonic cough syrup. It's better by far than pine or tar. Sold by all good druggists.—Adv.

CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH MEN'S CLUB MEETING

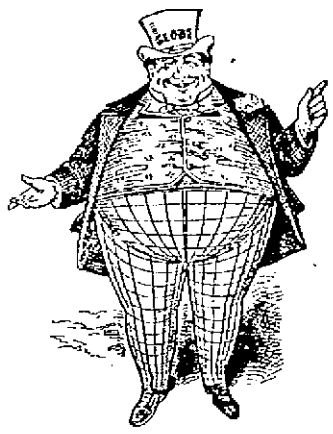
An attractive dinner menu with an interesting lecture by a Lowell business executive dealing with an important topic of the times, were some of the drawing features at the second monthly meeting of the Men's' clubs of the Central M. E. church, last evening. More than 30 members were present. The supper was served at 6.30 o'clock under the direction of the Ladies' Aid.

Edward J. Cooney of the Lowell Gas Light Co., was the speaker. He described the methods of conducting a successful club, mentioning the activities of the Lowell Advertising club in particular. He described plans for booming membership and booming the city of Lowell. He believed that Lowell would soon have a new hotel and said that many business men were backing a plan for the building of one in the near future.

The entertainment concluded with songs by Clarence Chenevert and Alan Bockes and the telling of humorous stories by Fred Timmins. The officers of the club for 1923 are: President, John L. Wolfe; vice-president, Edgar Morris; treasurer, Clarence Chenevert; secretary, Larry Hardy; program committee, Donald Court, Clarence Chenevert and Chester Woods.

THE BEST IN NEW ENGLAND

THE BOSTON GLOBE News



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Beach Bluff Man Offers Testimony

Popular Traveling Salesman's Experience too Remarkable to Ignore

Facsimile of Front of Carton

A startling story of a stiff battle against a severe bronchial cough, in which Allen's Lung Healer played an important role, is told by Carl E. Vose, well known throughout New England as a traveling representative of a large Kanish manufacturer. Here is his story:

"I have often heard how much Allen's Lung Healer has benefited others, but I doubt if anyone has got more benefit from it than I have.

"As a boy of 12 years, I had acute bronchitis, and for the past 18 years I have suffered more or less from a bronchial cough.

"A year or two ago I began realizing that the cough was getting the best of me. Whenever I caught the least cold, the cough was unbearable. And soon the cough became chronic. It was so deep-seated and so irritated my bronchial tubes that it made my life miserable. Every time I coughed I thought I would break a blood vessel. I was afraid to laugh, was unable to sing, had to quit smoking, and could not enjoy my food. My sleep at night was interrupted by the congestion and the coughing.

"Then after having become almost convinced that nothing could help me (for I had tried almost everything) I bought a bottle of Allen's Lung Healer. Well you can imagine my surprise and delight when the first bottle gave me manifest relief. The old 'wheeze' began to disappear. I have just finished my third bottle and I want you to know how I now feel.

"The cough is gone. There is no more irritation, no more congestion, no more 'wheezing,' no more lying awake nights, no more denying myself the pleasure of a smoke. I can now sing and laugh and eat to my heart's content. And I tip the scales at over 190 pounds.

"You can imagine how grateful I am. Life is once more worth living." Signed, CARL E. VOSE, Beach Bluff Ave., Beach Bluff, Mass.

Sold in Lowell by A. W. Dows & Co., L. H. Brunelle, F. J. Campbell, Sam McCord, Lowell Pharmacy, J. J. Brown, William H. Noonan, T. C. Walker, Fred Howard, F. H. Butler.—Adv.

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With fur collar. Regular price $12.95. Special.... **$8.95**

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All wool, two pants, gray and brown mixtures. All sizes. Priced **$9.95**

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Wool mixed, also corduroy, all sizes. Regular price $1.00. Special, Pair ..... **69¢**

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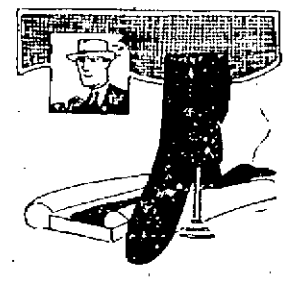
Men's Dependable Hose

MEN'S HOSE
Fine silk and wool in black and colors. Priced, pair **$1.00**

MEN'S HOSE
"Tripletoe" mercerized lisle, in black, cordovan and navy. Priced, pair... **50¢**

MEN'S HOSE
Medium weight, double soles, high spliced heels, in black, cordovan and gray. Priced, pair ..... **25¢**

MEN'S HOSE
Medium weight cashmere. Priced, pair ..... **50¢**



GIFT SHOP

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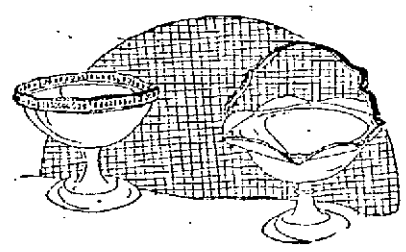

In the Gift Shop Are Many Things for the Home

One's personal gift wants are usually met by home folks and so to friends outside the family it is always well to give decorative things for the home; good looking book-ends, a candy jar, a door knocker and these are only a few suggestions.

VISIT THIS BIGGER, BETTER, BUSIER STORE

The HOOVER

It BEATS... as it Sweeps as it Cleans

This is the age of the practical gift and nothing could be more practical than The Hoover. It will save "her" time and labor—will prevent dust storms—will make the rugs wear longer. Easy payments cheerfully granted.

Demonstration Table First Floor

PICTURE SHOP

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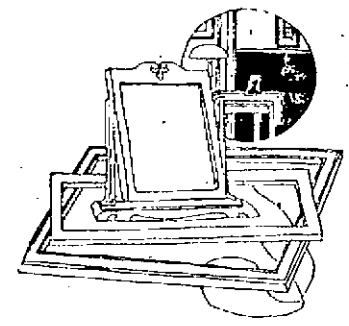
Every Photograph Is Worthy Of an Artistic Frame



Surely if you have a photograph in your bed room or on a table in your living room, you are fond enough of the person to put the picture in a frame. Photographs are not only much more attractive to have about when they are artistically arranged in a polychrome mahogany frame, but the picture is protected.

NASHUA MAN WINS BUICK TOURING CAR

M. W. Glidden, of 35 Lock street, Nashua, N. H., was awarded the Buick touring car put up by the Wamesit lodge, K. of P., several weeks ago during the Kasino carnival activities. The award was made last evening at a meeting of the Pythians in Harrington hall on Central street. Miss Ida Watson, one of the entertainers of the evening, was called upon to draw the ticket. Mr. Glidden was not in the audience, but will get his car by calling on Frank H. Haines at the office of the Lowell Decorating Co. on Market street and identifying himself.

Mr. Haines announced that a merchants' exhibit and food fair would be held at the Kasino, March 19 to 24.

During the meeting last evening, Miss Watson gave a program of toe dancing, under the direction of Miss Blanche Perrin. Frank A. Whipple presented Miss Watson and her teacher with small gold pencils for their efforts in behalf of the local Pythians.

RED PEPPERS STOP PAIN OF RHEUMATISM

When you are suffering with rheumatism so you can hardly get around just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known.

Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Instant relief. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sort spot through and through. Frees the blood circulation, breaks up the congestion—and the old rheumatic torture is gone.

Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, costs little at any drug store. Get a jar at once. Use it for lumbago, neuritis, backache, stiff neck, sore muscles, colds in chest. Almost instant relief awaits you. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.—Adv.

COLDS and a RAW, SORE THROAT

END QUICKLY! WHEN YOU APPLY CAMPHOROLE

Colds Go Over Night—Sore Throat in 15 Minutes

Then you'll know why thousands use CAMPHOROLE when once you spread it on your sore, tight chest or throat. You can feel it take hold and quickly break up a stubborn cough and cold in the throat and chest.

At once difficult breathing is relieved and the choked up air passages of the throat and lungs are penetrated by powerful healing vapors which reach the very seat of the disease with each breath, loosening up phlegm, stopping nasty throat tickle, and healing the sore, irritated lining of the throat, chest and Bronchial tubes, gently and easily. Splendid for Colds, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Asthma, Catarrh and Broncho-Pneumonia. Manufactured in Atlantic City, N. J.

At all Druggists — Dr. Bridgeman's Camphorole 35¢ — Beware of Substitutes

The committee in charge of the recent carnival, which was very successful from start to finish, included Mr. Haines, President Whipple, Vice-President Perry D. Whipple, Treasurer John Muir and Secretary Ross Goodwin.

SEEKING ANNIE SHAW

The Lowell police have been asked to assist in locating Annie Shaw, sister of Mrs. Lottie Townsend, who is lying ill at her home, 118 Duncan st., Gloucester, Mass. It is believed that she is working in a restaurant in this city.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

COURTNEY—Died Feb. 1st at the home of the Misses Courtney, 11 Marsh street, Jennie (Dunham) Courtney. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the house, and a solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SMITH—Died, February 1, at the Lowell General hospital, William Smith. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 193 Powell street, Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice, burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

O'HEARN—Died, February 1, at the home of his son, James T. O'Hearn, 47 Winthrop avenue John O'Hearn. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the house, and a funeral high mass will be sung at St. Margaret's church at 9 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LAMBERT—The funeral of Henry B. Lambert will take place Saturday morning at 7.30 o'clock from his home, 34 Fay street. High funeral mass will be sung in St. Louis' church at 8.30 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Arrangements in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

ROUGHAN—Died Feb. 1, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward J. Brennan, 246 Beacon street, Mrs. Joanna Roughan. The burial will take place Monday morning in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, Collinsville, Conn., and a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church, the date to be announced later. Arrangements are under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HARRIMAN—Died at Chicago, Ill., Jan. 29, at 4700 W. Congress street, Mrs. Josiah Harriman. Funeral services will be held at Saunders' Funeral home, 217 Appleton street, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Undertaker William H. Saunders in charge.

DEATHS

BRUNELLE—The friends of Mr. Donat J. Brunelle, the well known president of the C.M.A.C., will be grieved to learn of the death of his wife, Mrs. Eugenie (Vigneault) Brunelle, which occurred this morning at St. John's hospital, after a brief illness, aged 29 years. Mrs. Brunelle was a young woman of many admirable qualities, a prime favorite in many circles in which she was wont to move, and her passing in the bloom of womanhood will be deeply deplored. Always radiantly happy, she delighted in the doing of good deeds, bringing relief to the needy and alleviating distress. A splendid character of womanly virtue, intensely devoted to her home, an ideal wife and an affectionate daughter, the sympathy of a legion of friends will go out to the grief stricken husband, the parents, brothers and sisters. Her work in the new parish of St. Jeanne d'Arc was praiseworthy, her services being ever in demand, for her heart and hand were ever at the disposal of those interested in a worthy cause. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, an infant, her mother, Mrs. Alvina Vigneault; two sisters, Mrs. Ludger Ouellette and Mrs. Edouard Bellivean, and three brothers, Elphege, Emile and Philippe Vigneault. The body was removed to her home, 79 Third avenue, by Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

HARRIMAN—Mrs. Josiah Harriman, formerly of this city, died at her home, 4700 W. Congress street, Chicago, Ill., Jan. 29, at the age of 72 years and 4 months. She is survived by her husband, Josiah; two daughters, Miss Ina Harriman of Chicago and Mrs. A. W. Ott of Worcester and one grandson, Arthur B. Harriman of Lowell. The body will be brought to this city this evening and taken to Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton street.

O'HEARN—John O'Hearn, for many years a machinist in the Lowell water department, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his son, James T. O'Hearn, 47 Winthrop avenue. He leaves two sons, Jas. T. and John D. O'Hearn.

ROUGHAN—Mrs. Joanna Roughan, widow of John Roughan, and a resident of Collinsville, Dracut, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward J. Brennan 246 Beacon street. She only recently took up her home with her daughter in Lowell and during her long residence in Dracut was a member of and active in the affairs of St. Mary's parish in Collinsville. The body will be taken to Collinsville, Conn., for burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Edward J. Brennan and Mrs. John W. Brennan, and three sons, Dr. Charles M. Roughan, John J. and Thomas B. Roughan.

SMITH—Died, February 1, at the Lowell General hospital, William Smith, aged 37 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Smith, and his mother and two brothers and two sisters in Scotland. Mr. Smith resided at 193 Powell street. He was a member of Masonic bodies in Scotland; also Asa Pollard lodge, I.O.O.F., M.U., of North Billerica.

FUNERALS

MEANEY—The funeral of Michael J. Meaney took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his late home, 32 Pleasant street, and was attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O.M.I.; Rev. Martin Norton, O.M.I., was deacon, and Rev. Amos Robbins, O.M.I., was sub-deacon. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Mr. Charles P. Smith. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. There were many floral and numerous spiritual offerings. The following delegation represented Camp Gen. Adelbert Ames, No. 19, Spanish War Veterans: Romeo D. Lanard, Roderick C. Ducharme, James D. Brogan and William T. Harvey. The bearers and firing squad in charge of Major Walter Joyes were all comrades of deceased: John McBride, S.V.C.; John Shea, P. I.; Patrick J. Burns, P.C.; Frank Levier, Q.D.; Frank Hotkiss, P. C., and Richard Gibbons, P.C. Committal services were held in St. Bridget's chapel, the prayers being read by Rev. Fr. Sullivan, O.M.I. Services of the Spanish War Veterans were conducted by Acting Chaplain John Shea and the officers, S.V.C. John McBride, P.C. Patrick J. Burns and Q.D. Frank Levier and firing squad. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

BRASSARD—The first funeral service conducted at St. Jeanne d'Arc church, in Fourth avenue, took place this morning, when a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated for Mrs. Adeline (Traversy) Brassard. The funeral cortege left the home of a daughter of deceased, Mrs. Godfroi Blazon, 121 Gershom avenue, at 8.30 o'clock, and wended its way to the church, where at 9 o'clock, the service was conducted. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Aurelien Morell, O.M.I., who was assisted by Very Rev. J. E. Turcotte, O.M.I., of St. Joseph's and Rev. Charles Denizot, O.M.I., as sub deacon. The choir, under the direction of Telesphore Malo rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Adolphe Brassard, Jr., N. Milot, E. J. Larochelle and Mr. Malo. At the offertory Mrs. Antoinette Boudreau rendered Leybach's "Tie Jesu," and after the elevation Mr. Malo sang "Miserernini Mei," while at the communion he also sang "O Meritum Passionis." As the body was being borne from the church the choir sang "De Profundis." Miss Antoinette Dion presided at the organ. The bearers were: E. A. Camire, Roderick Deschenaux, Orcisse Larue, Rosaire Tourangeau, Adolphe Roy and Joseph Boudreau. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery after committal prayers were recited at St. Bridget's mortuary chapel by Rev. Fr. Denizot, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

SHEERIN—The funeral of Michael Sheerin took place this morning from his late home, 50 D street, at 9 o'clock and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church, where at 10 o'clock a solemn high funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. Andrew O'Brien, assisted by Rev. Charles J. Galligan, the pastor, as deacon, and Rev. William P. Drennan as sub-deacon. The choir, under the direction of Prof. Louis N. Guilbault, sang the Gregorian chant. Solos of the mass were sustained by Miss Catherine Jennings and Mr. Cornelius Cahill. Prof. Guilbault presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings to testify the high esteem in which the deceased was held, as well as many spiritual bouquets. The casket was borne by the following bearers, Messrs. Thomas O'Connor, Terrence McEvors, Edward Boyle, Ralph Pizzano, Philip Connors and Arthur Neville. Interment was in the receiving tomb of St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read in St. Bridget's mortuary chapel by Rev. Fr. O'Brien. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

SILK—The funeral of Mrs. Josephine (Sullivan) Silk, wife of Lincoln Silk, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the home of her father, Thomas Sullivan, 23 Dracut street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Columba's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was sung by Rev. James M. Somers. The choir, under the direction of Miss Katherine Wholey, rendered the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Mary McPartland and Mr. John Flynn. Miss Wholey presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes and of spiritual bouquets and an unusually large congregation was present at the mass. The bearers were Jack Silk, Percy Silk, Michael Manning, James Manning and John J. Manning. The committal services were conducted in St. Bridget's chapel by Rev. Fr. Somers and the body was placed in the receiving vault in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell and Sons.

UNDERHILL—The funeral of Mrs. Olive E. Underhill took place yesterday afternoon from the funeral church, 236 Westford street, where services were conducted by Rev. Percy E. Thomas, pastor of the First Congregational church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

BROPHY—The funeral of Miss Mary Brophy took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 345 Worthen street, and was largely attended. The bearers were James P. Giblin, Martin Conley, Martin Murphy, Edward Murphy, Chas. E. Dane and Jos. Galvin. The committal services were conducted in St. Bridget's chapel by Rev. Joseph Curtin. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BELAND—The funeral of Gedeon beland, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Gedeon Beland, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 3 rear of 43 East Pine street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Jos. Albert.

MARTEL—The body of Miss Eulalie Martel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zacharie Martel, of 13 Winter street was forwarded last night to St. Eulalie, P. Q., where services will be held and burial will take place. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

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Boys' Clothing Section

Boys' Overcoats, sizes 3 to 6; values to $6.50, $3.95
Boys' Mackinaws, sizes 8 to 11; values to $7.50, $5.50
Odds and Ends of Boys' Suits, broken sizes, 8 to 17; values to $6.50 ..... $3.98
Corduroy Suits, sizes 8 to 17; values to $6.50, $4.98
Boys' Union Suits, sample sizes; $1.50 value.... 79¢
All Wool Caps and Toques, colors; 75c-$1 val., 49¢
Juvenile Suits, sizes 3 to 8 ..... $1.98
Flannelette Blouses, gray only, 6 to 15 years; 59c value ..... 39¢
Gray Flannel Shirts, sizes 12½ to 14; $1.65 value, $1.19
All Wool Sweaters, maroon only, samples; $3 value, $1.50
Percale Blouses, sizes 8 to 16 ..... 65¢
BASEMENT

Shoe Department

Girls' Rubber Boots, sizes 5 to 10½ $1.98
Girls' Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2; 75c and 85c values, 59¢
Girls' Overshoes, two buckles, sizes 5 to 2, $1.98
Girls' Shoes, Goodyear sewed, sizes to 2; $3 values $1.98
Boys' and Girls' Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, sizes 5 to 13; values to $1.50 ..... 98¢
Boys' and Girls' Shoes, Goodyear sewed, sizes 9 to 13; $1.50 and $2 values ..... 98¢
Children's Rubbers, sizes 3 to 10½; 75c values, 49¢
Children's Shoes, sizes 4 to 8; values to $2, $1.29
Women's Shoes, mostly Goodyear welts, sizes 2½ to 8; values to $4 ..... $1.50
Women's Felt Slippers, sizes 2½ to 8; $1 and $1.25 values ..... 69¢
Women's Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, sizes 2½ to 6; $2 and $2.50 values $1.65
Women's Low Shoes, mostly large sizes; values to $5 ..... $1.98
Women's Shoes, black, tan, broken sizes.....98¢
Women's Rubbers, fit any shoe; $1 value..... 69¢
Women's Rubbers, high heels, all sizes..... 29¢
Women's High Felt Shoes, broken sizes; $2 and $3 values $1.79
Men's Slippers, leather, felt, broken sizes..... 98¢
Men's High Cut Storm Shoes, warm linings, sizes 7 to 11; $5 values $1.98
Men's Shoes, Goodyear welts, broken sizes; values to $5 ..... $1.98
Men's Franklin Shoes, English last, Goodyear welt, sizes 6 to 11; $5 values $2.98
Men's First Quality Rubbers, all sizes ..... 98¢
Men's Crossett Shoes, black, tan..... $3.98
Boys' Shoes, solid leather, some JPS brand, sizes 10 to 6; values to $3 ..... $1.98
Boys' Overshoes, 2 buckles, sizes 11 to 6.... $2.39
Boys' Rubber Boots, Storm King style, sizes 11 to 2 ..... $2.98
Men's Pure Gum Rubbers, some red soles, broken sizes; $2 values $1.49
BASEMENT

Smallwares

Feather Stitched Braid, slightly soiled..... 1¢
Sta Rite Bone Hair Pins; 25c value, pkg. ..... 15¢
Sanitary Aprons; 39c value ..... 25¢
Sanitary Belts, not all sizes ..... 15¢
Scotch Knitting Yarn, dark colors, ball ..... 3¢
Embroidery Edging, colors, white; 10c value..... 5¢
Bend Not Common Pins; 10c value ..... 5¢
Baby Dimple Garters, not all sizes, pair ..... 10¢
Double Mesh Hair Nets, no gray or white; 10c value, 3 for 25¢
Safety Pins, odd sizes; 10c value ..... 6¢
STREET FLOOR

Coat and Suit Section

13 Women's and Misses' Winter Coats... $7.98
41 Plain and Fur Trimmed Coats..... $12.98
Women's and Misses' Good Coats..... $19.50
23 Plain and Fur Trimmed Coats..... $29.50
Stylish Fur Trimmed Coats..... $39.50
7 Black Coney Fur Coats $29.50
17 Velvet Dresses $11.98
Serge and Tricotine Dresses $7.98
Canton Crepe Dresses $14.95
8 Tweed Suits $7.98
10 Fur Trimmed Suits $12.50
Prunella Sport Skirts $2.98
11 Party Dresses $7.98
SECOND FLOOR

Men's Furnishings

Men's Woolen Scarfs; $1 values ..... 79¢
Men's Gray Mocha Gloves, unlined; $1.50 values, 79¢
Men's Knitted Silk Ties; 65c value ..... 39¢
Odd Lots of Men's Negligee Shirts; $1.50 and $2 values $1.29
Odd Lots of Men's Half Hose, wool and cotton; 39c value ..... 25¢
Men's Flannelette Work Shirts, collar attached; $1 value ..... 79¢
Men's All Wool Underwear, odd sizes; values to $3 ..... $1.29
Men's Undershirts, of warm jersey, ribbed, sizes 34 and 36 only; 69c value ..... 29¢

Neckwear and Handkerchiefs

Lace Collars, white, cream ..... 59¢
White Organdie Vests, with collars and cuffs.... 25¢
Bramleigh Ties, of crepe de chine..... 10¢
Odd Lot of Men's Handkerchiefs, initialed ..... 10¢
Women's Handkerchiefs, white, colored embroidered ..... 6¢

Leather and Toilet Goods

Pocketbooks and Bags, velvet and leather; $1.50 value ..... 79¢
Pocketbooks and Bags, of embossed leather; $1 value ..... 49¢
Candlesticks, pink, blue, white; $1 value..... 69¢
White Huck Towels..... 17¢, 3 for 50¢
Palmolive Shampoo ..... 29¢
Jergen's Bath Tablets..... 7¢, 3 for 20¢
STREET FLOOR

Hosiery

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, black, colors; $1 value, 69¢
Women's Silk and Wool Hose, heathers; $1.50 values $1
Odd Lots of Women's Merino Hose, black, oxford; 59c value ..... 39¢
Odd Lot of Lisle Hose, women's sizes; 29c value, 19¢
Women's Sport Hose, with clockings; $1.25 value, 69¢
Boys' Heavy Cotton Hose, black; values to 39c, 19¢
Odd Lot of Women's Fibre Silk Hose, brown and fancy colors; 50c value ..... 29¢
Infants' Hose, white, black; irregulars of 25c grade ..... 10¢
Odd Lot of Children's Hose, cordovan only; 15c value ..... 10¢
STREET FLOOR

GLOVES

Odd Lots of Chamois Suede Gloves, all colors; 75c value ..... 59¢
Odd Lots of French Kid Gloves, 2-clasp style; $2 value $1.35
Women's and Children's Wool Gloves and Mittens, colors; 50c value ..... 29¢
STREET FLOOR

Sweaters and Waists

Brushed Wool Vests $1.50
Slip-on Sweaters, colors $1.79
Heavy Knitted Sweaters; $3.98 value $1.98
Fancy Knitted Sweaters, all colors; $4.98 value, $2.98
Slip-on Sweaters, variety of colors; $3.98 value, $2.98
Voile, Dimity and Hand-Made Waists; values to $3.98 ..... $1.89
Shaker Knit Sweaters, extra heavy..... $3.98
5 Silk Striped Waists, dark colors; $5.98 val., $3.98
10 Jersey Coat Sweaters; $5 values $2.98
Novelty Slip-on Sweaters, choice of colors; $5.98 value $4.98
4 Matelasse Jacquettes, embroidered in silver; $18.50 value $12.50
SECOND FLOOR

Knit. Underwear

Broken Lots of Women's Union Suits, odd sizes; $1.50 and $2 values ..... 98¢
Women's Vests and Drawers, heavy and fleece lined, broken sizes and styles; $1 and $1.25 values, 79¢
Children's Union Suits, odd sizes, in silk and wool; $2 and $2.50 values $1.29
Odd Lots of Children's Vests and Drawers, fleece lined; 50c value ..... 29¢
STREET FLOOR

Women's Wear Section

Broken Sizes in Camisoles, satin, crepe de chine; values to $2.50 ..... 98¢
Odd Lot of Bloomers, Vests, Drawers, hamburg trimmed; 98c value ..... 39¢
Step-in Bloomers, white, pink, broken sizes..... 25¢
White Nightgowns, slightly soiled; $1 value.... 59¢
White Petticoats, hamburg trimmed; values to $2.50 ..... $1.29
Scotch Flannel Nightgowns, sizes 18, 19, 20; $1.98 values $1.59
Percale Kitchen Aprons, medium colors..... 17¢
Odd Lot of Kimonos, long and short styles; $1.69 value ..... 89¢
Cotton Serge Skirts, navy blue; $1.69 value.... 50¢
Sateen Princess Slips, broken sizes; $1.50 value, 89¢
Extra Size Silk Petticoats, dark colors; $2.98 value $1.98
Odd Lot of Sateen Petticoats, dark colors; $1 value ..... 75¢
SECOND FLOOR

Infants' and Children's Wear

To Close, Children's Three-Piece Sets, Leggins, Sweaters, Caps, red only $1.79
Babies' White Dresses, lace and hamburg trimmed, some hand made; $2.98 and $3.98 values, $2.69
Children's Dresses, gingham, chambray, sizes 23 to 25c; 98c value ..... 59¢
Children's Velvet Tams, black, navy, garnet; 79c value ..... 29¢
Babies' Woolen Shirts, seconds, sizes 3 months to 3 years ..... 75¢
SECOND FLOOR

Corset Section

Treco Elastic Brassieres, broken sizes; values to $3.50 ..... $1.50
Children's Waists, in odd sizes; 50c value..... 39¢
Bandeaux, sizes 40 to 44; 50c value ..... 39¢
Deering, Voque, La Resista, Nemo Corsets, broken sizes; $5 values $2.50
SECOND FLOOR

TO ATTEND MONADNOCK LODGE MEETING

District Deputy Grand Master John S. Johnson and suite of Lowell will attend the meeting of Monadnock lodge, I.O.O.F., in Lawrence, next Wednesday evening. Other lodges have been invited to send members and Haverhill will also be well represented. The first degree will be worked on several candidates at the Monadnock meeting, the degree staff being under the supervision of Minot B. Kent, degree master.

TEXTILE WORKERS' CONFERENCE BOARD

The next meeting of the New England conference board of the United Textile Workers of America will be held in Fall River on Sunday, February 18, and several Lowell delegates will attend. The topic of discussion at the meeting, it is said, will be the proposed demand of a 20 per cent increase in wages for both the cotton and woolen mill operatives of New England, which has been left in the hands of the president general of the United Textile Workers of America, Thomas F. McMahon. At the meeting plans will be made to sustain the president in his demand and once the fight is started, to carry it out to a finish. The Lowell delegation will be headed by John Hanley, president of the Lowell Textile Council.

FIRE CHIEF ASKS FOR SALARY INCREASE

Edward F. Saunders, fire department chief, has made a provision in his 1923 estimates, for an increase in his own salary from $3000 to $3500. His department will come to the attention of the budget and audit commission tomorrow, along with the police and charity departments.

The fire chief is the third department head to seek more money in 1923, the other two being the city solicitor and city treasurer.

BIG CROWD AT BENEFIT DANCE

Despite the inclement weather and the big winter carnival at Fort Hill park, there was a large attendance at the dance and concert conducted in Associate hall last evening for the benefit of strikers of the Boston & Maine carshops. The affair was conducted under the auspices of the federated crafts of the B. & M. and the receipts of the evening were very substantial.

In the early part of the evening concert numbers were given by the orchestra and later general dancing was started and continued till a seasonable hour. During intermission there were very enjoyable vocal selections by Frederick Cummings, Charles Clancy, John McArdle and James Jones. The committee in charge of the event consisted of John Delaney, chairman; Robert Holmes and Thomas Hogan.

DEMONSTRATION BY Y. W. C. A. GYM CLASSES

The mid-year demonstration of the gymnasium classes of the Y.W.C.A. was held there last night at 8 o'clock. About 600 members and interested friends were present to enjoy the entertainment and were well rewarded for the exhibition was the best of its kind ever put on there.

Following the exhibition the floor was cleared and dancing enjoyed by all who felt thus inclined.

The program was as follows:

PART 1

Opening March.....Children's Classes
Flag Drill ..... Juniors
Swedish Dance.....Intermediates
Indian Club Drill.....Y.W.H.A. Class
Spanish Dance.....Eva Turcotte
Dumb Bell Drill.....Intermediates

PART 2

Bo-Peep .....Phyllis Grant
Elf Dance .....Juniors
Dance of the Rose Buds.....Juniors
Marching Tactics..... Adults
Drill ..... Adults
Irish Jig .....Intermediates
Wood Nymphs .....Intermediates
Dutch Character Dance..Intermediates
Little Waltz .....Anna Hebert

Games:

Liberty Bat Ball..... Adults
Bear Relay.....Juniors

Trio Waltz,
Alice O'Brien, Elizabeth Joyce and Laura Edmonds.

YOUTHFUL BURGLARS SENTENCED TODAY

Found guilty on seven counts of breaking and entering and larceny, Frank Bocki, 14, and Charles Malinski, 15, were sentenced to the Shirley and Lyman schools, respectively, by Judge Enright in the juvenile court this morning. The two youths were arrested about a week ago and appealed the sentences imposed at that time. While out on bail, they continued their activities and were re-arrested for breaking and entering in the night time last Monday.

LOYAL VICTORIA LODGE

A largely attended meeting of Loyal Victoria lodge, I.O.O.F., M.U., was held last evening in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. Noble Grand Mabel Panton occupied the chair and routine business was transacted. Plans for a fair to be held in the near future were made and a committee was appointed to look after arrangements.

BLOCKADE OF RUHR COMPLETE

DUESSELDORF, Feb. 2.—(By the Associated Press) The blockade of the Ruhr valley from within was absolutely complete today. Not a single ton of coal or coke has entered Germany from the Ruhr in the last 36 hours, the French authorities announce, adding that the measures they put into force at midnight of Jan. 31 are totally effective.

The Germans show no disposition to contradict the French as to the general effectiveness of the blockade, but they relate how one train of 46 loaded coal cars, disregarding all signals, ran the blockade at Horde, near Dortmund, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and escaped into interior Germany.

The French have 75's commanding every line into Germany and the directors of the railroads have been informed that any locomotive attempting to escape will be fired upon. Inquiries addressed to the French authorities as to why they have not resorted to the simpler way of tearing up a few hundred yards of track along the occupied frontier of the Ruhr, elicited the reply that they did not wish to interfere with other traffic for the present than exports of coal and coke and are desirous of giving the railwaymen full opportunity to resume work.

The strike at Cologne also seems to be petering out. The Duesseldorf station was opened this morning for the first time since Jan. 26, but only a small percentage of the scheduled trains were running.

General Payott, the French quartermaster-general, told the correspondent the French army service supplies were operating efficiently.

The tobacco dealers and manufacturers in the valley have been instructed by the French authorities they must pay the tax on tobacco at Essen or Duesseldorf, disregarding Berlin's orders to remit direct to the capital.

The chief of police of Bochum was arrested and expelled this morning.

The Duesseldorf Nachristchen, which was suspended Jan. 24, will be allowed to resume publication tomorrow.

LOWELL MASONS ON COMMITTEES

Prominent Lowell Masons are members of active committees handling the convention of the National League of Masonic clubs, to be held in Boston, June 11 to 16. Governor Channing H. Cox, Lieut.-Gov. Alvan T. Fuller and Secretary of State Alonzo Cook have been chosen members of the honorary finance committee for the convention.

Other members include W. L. Terhune, chairman; Leon D. Abbott, Arthur D. Prince, Henry C. Dexter, Harry G. Pollard and other well known Masons.

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KEARNEY SQUARE

SPECIALS TONIGHT, 6 TO 9

Florida Strawberries Received Daily

SMOKED SHOULDERS
Lb. ..... 10¢

MILK FED VEAL
Forequarters ..... 10¢
Short Legs ..... 18¢

MUTTON
Forequarters ..... 12½¢
Short Legs ..... 22¢

Fresh Native Capons.....43¢

Rib Lamb Chops.....25¢

CORNED BEEF
Thick Rib ..... 12¢
Fancy Brisket ..... 13¢

PORK
Rib Roast ..... 12¢
Pork Butts ..... 14¢

SALT RIBS
Bright Red ..... 12½¢

BEEF LIVER
Western—Lb. ..... 8¢, 2 Lbs. 15¢

ARMOUR'S STAR HAMS
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Special
SMYRNA FIGS—
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Our Own Make—Lb. ..... 20¢

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FRESH AND FANCY **PORK**
Heavy, but lean, lb. .... 13¢
Light Lean Loins, lb. .... 18¢
Fresh Shoulders, lb. .... 15¢
Boston Butts, lb. ..... 22¢

GENUINE SPRING **LAMB**
Short Cut Legs, lb. ..... 30¢
Forequarters, lb. ..... 19¢
Plump Loins, lb. ..... 28¢
Choice Lamb Chops, lb... 35¢

FINEST QUALITY STEER **BEEF**
Sirloin Roasts, lb. ..... 35¢
Fcy. Rib Roast, lb. 15¢, 25¢
Chuck Roasts 12¢, 14¢, 18¢
Lean Pieces, lb. 10¢, 12¢
Boneless Pot Roasts, lb. 12½¢

FINEST CUTS OF STEER **Steaks**
Sirloin, lb. ..... 45¢, 55¢
Top Round, lb. ... 35¢, 40¢
Vein, lb. ..... 30¢, 35¢
Bottom Round, lb. 23¢, 28¢
Rump, lb. ..... 50¢, 60¢

NEW BUNCH **CARROTS**
3 Bunches for ..... 11¢

RED RIPE **STRAWBERRIES**
Basket ..... 48¢, 55¢

MAINE WHITE **POTATOES**
Full 15 lbs. pk. ..... 22¢

NEW YORK HEARTS **LETTUCE**
Each ..... 10¢

FRESH MUSHROOMS, 65c Lb.

FRESH KILLED **POULTRY**
Fancy 4 lb. Fowl, lb..... 37¢
Fancy 5 lb. Fowl, lb..... 39¢
Fancy 4 lb. Chicken, lb. 39¢
Fancy 5 lb. Chicken, lb. 42¢
Fresh Turkeys, lb. ..... 55¢
Special Small (3 lbs.) Fresh FOWL, lb. ..... 29¢

Butterkist POP CORN 5¢ and 10¢
HOT BAKED BEANS 25¢ Qt.
WHOLE JUMBO P-NUTS 29¢ Lb.
Fresh Assorted Chocolates 33¢ Lb.
Mild Cured BACON By the Piece 25¢ Lb.
Small Smoked Shoulders 14¢ Lb.
Special POUND CAKE 55¢ Loaf
LEDA BRAND COFFEE 39¢ Lb.

Supreme Milk BREAD ..... 10¢
Large Cream DO-NUTS, doz. 18¢
Large Frosted SPONGE, each 28¢
Whipped Cream PIES ..... 49¢
Whipped Cream HORNS.... 7½¢
Special for Friday and Saturday
WHIPPED CREAM on GINGER BREAD, Loaf ..... 19¢

Large, Juicy, Florida Oranges, Doz. 59c

Fresh Creamery **Butter, lb. 55c**

Large Brown EGGS 35¢ Doz.
Pure LARD 15¢ Lb.
Whole Milk CHEESE 35¢ Lb.
Strictly Fresh EGGS 58¢ Doz.
BAKER'S COCOA 22c Value 19¢ Can
Buy the Case COOKIES Nat. or Sunshine. Wholesale Prices
Santa Clara PRUNES 2 Lbs. 25¢
"Glass Jar" Brand Baked Beans, 15c val. 10¢ Can
Campbell's SOUPS 10¢ Can
Old Dutch CLEANSER 2 for 17¢
Takhoma BISCUITS 4 for 19¢
Choice Red BEETS 19c value 15¢ Can

Open Friday Nights —— Low Prices

Slip-On **SWEATERS** and Tailored **BLOUSES**

Always popular because of their nattiness and simplicity. Can be worn on practically every occasion. Also quite popular with the school miss.

Today we mention slip-ons in both Tuxedo and Peter Pan models—worn very effectively with either voile or dimity blouses that have trimmings of tucks, frills, lace, etc. Some are in plain colors, others in combination of colors. These are—each **$1.95**

Second Floor

From one extreme to the other, the

New Hats

range the mode.

Large hats, small hats, hats saucy and hats demure—of silk, satin, fabric or braid—in high shades or subdued—as well as a host of charming combinations of two materials and colors.

Whatever your type, there's the right hat here for it. Prices

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FOOD SALE TODAY—ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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The Store for Thrifty People

FOR FEBRUARY COAT BUYERS

All Wool Knit Mixture

COATS

For wear now and early Spring—$37.50 values

MARKED AT

$29.75

These coats are from a world known concern. We selected and purchased our materials at a price. Lovely soft knit fabrics, made in full length Spring coat models, half lined with a good satin. Every coat guaranteed for wear and service and for warmth without weight. In mixtures of tan, brown, cinnamon, airedale, medium grey and oxford. Sized 16 to 44.

Second Floor

THESE NEW **Riding Breeches** FOR SPORTS WEAR

At **$7.49**

In tweeds, homespun and camel hair.

Also a Big Assortment of

KNICKERS

In the Same Materials.

$2.95, $3.95, $4.95

Second Floor

NEW CAMELAIR WRAP-ROUND **Sport Skirts**

—— AT ——

$4.95

So smart now to wear with your slip-on sweater or one of those new jacquette blouses. In all tan, tan and brown check, tan and brown plaid or blue and tan plaid. Belt measures to 32.

Second Floor

AFTER INVENTORY REDUCTIONS ON ALL MERCHANDISE LEFT ONLY IN OUR READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Fur Trimmed Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $134.50. Re-priced at **$69.50, $79.50**

Fur Trimmed Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $89.50. Re-priced at..... **$49.50**

Fur Trimmed Winter Coats—Formerly priced at $52.50. Re-priced **$29.75**

Poiret Twill Dresses—Formerly priced to $29.75. Re-priced at **$18.75**

Poiret Twill Dresses—Formerly priced to $24.75. Re-priced at..... **$10.75 and $14.75**

Canton Crepe Dresses—Formerly priced at $32.50. Re-priced at **$18.75**

Canton Crepe Dresses—Formerly priced to $24.75. Re-priced at **$10.75**

Children's Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $18.75. Re-priced at **$9.75**

Children's Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $13.75. Re-priced at **$7.49**

Children's Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $10.75. Re-priced at **$4.95**

Other Final After Inventory Reductions on Small Lots of Coats—Suits—Dresses—Fur Coats and Children's Dresses.

—— SECOND FLOOR ——

New Taffeta Dresses

To Wear Now—A $25.00 Value

$18.75

Fresh and crisp from their tissue packings. These are Spring models and are the prettiest little dresses we have ever seen. In navy, brown and black. Misses' sizes 16 to 20.

Second Floor

SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Organized German labor in appeal from Berlin to Washington asks United States congress to save Europe and world from inevitable disaster.

Strike of German rail workers has been settled and agreement is attributed to mediation of Great Britain, according to unconfirmed London Times Duesseldorf dispatch.

Pope, in letter to vicar of Rome, expresses concern over world conditions and asks special prayers to save hundreds from fresh tribulations.

Andre Lefevre, former French minister of war, tells of plot to kill Premier Poincare and Leon Daudet, royalist leader.

Price of bread advances in Paris and Bordeaux authorities seek to hold down price of flour, avoiding speculation.

Fourteen persons killed and possibly 40 injured in Mexico City street battle between trolley car strikers and soldiers guarding property.

Koenigsberg outbreaks are renewed and mob storms French consulate, smashing all the windows, London Times dispatch says.

French chamber of deputies sustains Premier Poincare 455 to 81 in request for delay of interpellations on his Ruhr policy.

Rev. Percy Stickney Grant will not be tried for heresy, Bishop Manning says in reply to New York city rector.

Tex Rickard at New York withdraws from bidding for world's heavyweight championship bout.

Senator McKellar, Tennessee, attacks proposed British debt funding plan, indicating prospective hot fight in congress over its acceptance.

Oklahoma's reputed wealthiest Indian ties up his fortune to keep it out of hands of "designing persons," Commissioner of Indian Affairs announces at Washington.

John D. Rockefeller is reported much improved from bronchial trouble at Ormond Beach, Fla.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, Arctic explorer of North Pole fame, is arrested at Fort Worth, Tex., for having liquor in his possession, denies charge and attributes his arrest to wife, who is suing for divorce.

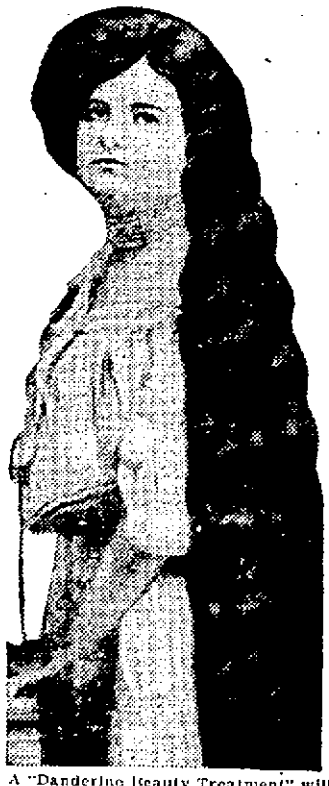
FRESHMAN BASKETBALL LEAGUE

In the Freshman Basketball league at the high school yesterday, Team 2 of Division 2 nosed out Team 5 by the score of 8 to 6; Team 2 in Division B failed to put in appearance for its scheduled game with Team 5 and the game was forfeited to the latter; in class 3, Team 2 whitewashed Team 5 by a 7-0 count; Team 10 of the same class waved the kalsomine on Team 7 at 3 and 0; Team 7, class 1, walked away with a 15 to 0 victory over Team 4.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY HAIR AT ONCE

Try This! Hair Appears Soft, Colorful and Abundant —A Gleamy Mass

35 Cent Bottle of "Danderine" Also Ends Dandruff; Falling Hair!



A "Danderine Beauty Treatment" will immediately double the attractiveness of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and really appear twice as thick and abundant—a mass of luxuriant, glinty, colorful hair.

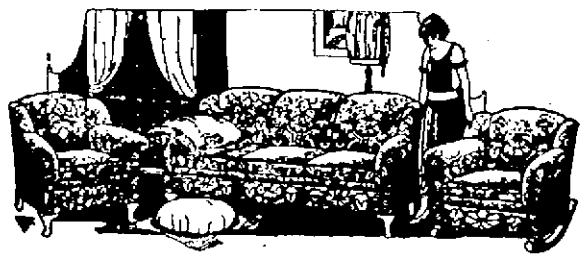
Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine eradicates dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is the best, cheapest and most delightful hair corrective and tonic. It is to the hair what fresh showers of rain are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, vitalizes and strengthens them. Its stimulating properties help the hair to grow long, heavy, strong.

You can surely have beautiful hair, and lots of it, if you will spend 35 cents for a bottle of Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter. It is not greasy, oily or sticky.—Adv.

Our Annual February FURNITURE SALE

Again we prove ourselves leaders, placing within the reach of thousands of our customers the opportunity to save hundreds of dollars. Just think of it. You BUY $10.00 WORTH of merchandise, then, behold, you are entitled to a choice of half your purchase or $5.00 worth of merchandise FREE. This applies to the $5.00 sale as well as the $5000 sale. For instance, our $350.00 Living Room Suite pictured below entitles you to $175.00 additional merchandise FREE. You can furnish a bedroom with a Dresser, Chifferobe, Bed and Dressing Table, or your choice of any articles of furniture of equal value—all with your purchase of $350.00. Just see what is possible to purchase with what is given Free with each purchase.



Living Room Suites

An extremely handsome three-piece overstuffed suite, consisting of a davenport, chair and rocker with roll arms and coil spring construction throughout. Upholstered in a charming tapestry design. A wonderful bargain during our February Sale at..... $350.00

$175.00 additional merchandise Free

Three-Piece Bedroom Suites Cut!

You save on these charming three-piece bedroom suites, one of the features of our great February Sale! They include a beautiful bow-end bed, large dresser with mirror (as pictured), and a handsome full vanity, all finished in mahogany or walnut. A splendid bargain at the price of $350.00

$175.00 additional merchandise Free

Dresser

Just 50 of these Louis XVI. period dressers were found in our warehouse. We're closing them all out during our February Sale at $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

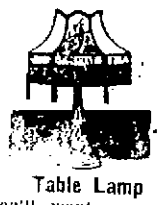


Table Lamp

You'll want one of these charming table lamps for your home. They come with a polychrome base and attractive silk shade. Price cut to $10

$5.00 Add. Mdse. Free

Rugs

The February Sale discount saves you 20 per cent. on all rugs. The latest patterns and many attractive colors, priced as low as $35

For Tap. 20% Discount

Library Table

Our stock of these beautiful library tables goes on sale at a sensational sacrifice. They are the popular period design and handsomely finished. A great saving $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Dining Table

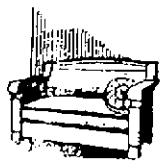
Just 31 of these handsome Colonial dining tables remain in our stock, to be cleaned out during the February Sale. Come early if you want one, as they will sell fast at this great saving Only $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Cedar Chest

Made of genuine Tennessee red cedar and complete with a bag of cedar shavings. Our price, already low, has been slashed another 20 per cent., giving you extraordinary values at only $21

$13.00 Add. Mdse. Free



Dunfold

Opens into a full size bed. Neatly upholstered and wonderful value during sale at $60

$30.00 Add. Mdse. Free

Rocker

Overstuffed tapestry rocker, with roll arms. Just a few at the sensationally low sale price of $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Kitchen Cabinet

A kitchen necessity! Built for convenience, with flour bin and unusual number of compartments. Only $50

$25.00 Add. Mdse. Free

Dressing Table

Queen Anne design, finished in mahogany or walnut, as preferred. Just 25 at the sale price of $35

$17.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Mattress

These roll edge mattresses are a rare bargain at the price of $30

20% Discount

China Cabinet

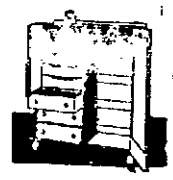
Handsome china cabinet, Queen Anna design, on sale at a straight price of $40

$20.00 Add. Mdse. Free

Baby Carriage

They'll sell like hot cakes at the cut price! A chance for a wonderful saving at the price of $27.50

$13.75 Add. Mdse. Free



Chifferobes

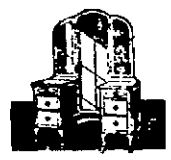
Has six drawers and full length clothes compartment. Attractively finished in mahogany. February Sale price $17.50

$8.75 Add. Mdse. Free

End Table

William and Mary design in mahogany finish. A feature of our February Sale at $10

$5.00 Add. Mdse. Free



Vanity

Done in the Queen Anne design which has become so popular. Attractively finished in walnut. Its price is... $65

$32.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Floor Lamp

Our wonderful big stock of floor lamps with beautiful polychrome base and silk shade, goes on sale at 20 percent. off the original price. Charming floor lamps as low as.... $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Glenwood Ranges and Heaters Are NOT INCLUDED In This Special Sale

DURING FEBRUARY WE WILL GIVE TO EACH CUSTOMER WITH EVERY

$5 PURCHASE	$2.50	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$10 PURCHASE	$5	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$20 PURCHASE	$10	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$30 PURCHASE	$15	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$40 PURCHASE	$20	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$50 PURCHASE	$25	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$60 PURCHASE	$30	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$70 PURCHASE	$35	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$80 PURCHASE	$40	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$90 PURCHASE	$45	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE
$100 PURCHASE	$50	ADDITIONAL MDSE	FREE
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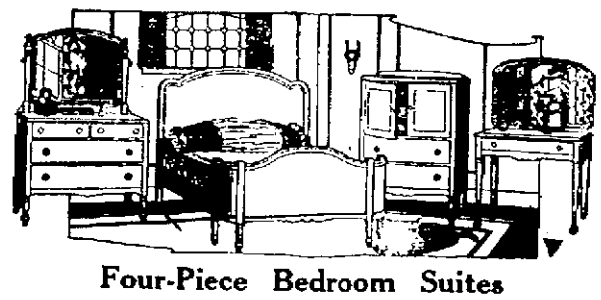
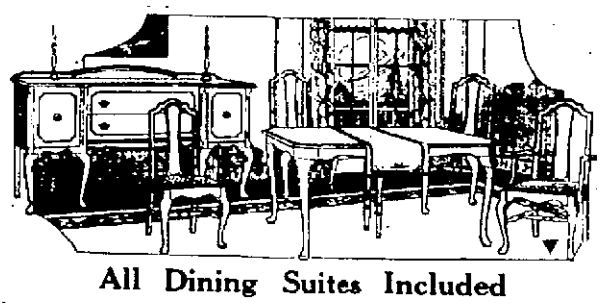
$5000 PURCHASE	$2500	ADDITIONAL MDSE.	FREE



Four-Piece Bedroom Suites

Every bedroom suite on our floors is included in this great sale! The one illustrated includes a full size bow-end bed, large dresser with handsome mirror, dressing table and chifforette. All attractively finished in walnut or mahogany. A splendid saving at $150.00

$75.00 additional merchandise Free



All Dining Suites Included

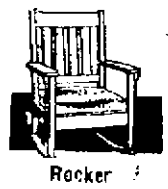
Just one illustration of the wonderful savings in dining room suites during our February Discount Sale. This handsome suite includes a large oblong table, large size buffet, 5 chairs and a host's chair finished in American walnut. Price reduced to $200.00

$100.00 additional merchandise Free

Linoleum

Great savings in linoleum during our February sacrifice Sale! Many charming designs and colors. Prices as low as per yard..... $1

20% Discount



Rocker

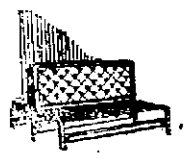
We're closing out Just a limited number of frame rockers with genuine leather seats. Extra special value at the discount price of $12

$6.00 Add. Mdse. Free

White Bed

Just a limited number of these brass beds with 2-inch continuous posts. A wonderful bargain at the special price of..... $12

$6.00 Add. Mdse. Free

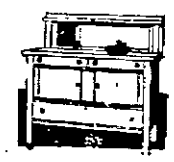


Sliding Couch

The famous nationally advertised make of couch, convertible by motion into a full size bed. A wonderful convenience in case of the arrival of unexpected guests. Price cut to $15

Serving Table

We're closing out 60 of these Queen Anne design serving tables at an unheard of price! They're beautifully finished in American walnut and an extraordinary saving at.. $15



Buffet

Come early if you want one of these handsome buffets, finished in golden or fumed oak, as you prefer. They'll sell fast at the February Sale price. Specially priced now at $45

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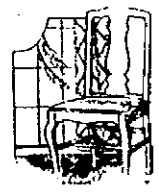
Our convenient credit terms have shown the way to better homes to thousands of home lovers in this community. Buy now—and distribute the cost in small payments.



Dining Chair

Just 54 of these splendid dining chairs found in our warehouse, will be closed out at the sale discount of 20 per cent. Upholstered in leather. A bargain at $6.50

$3.25 Add. Mdse. Free

ICE QUEEN

Helen Morgan, beauty queen of Canada, can maintain her charm under unfavorable conditions of ice and cold. Here she is demonstrating that bathing suits can be just as attractive in Canada as on Palm Beach in February days

METHODS OF REVIVING DROWNING VICTIMS

S. E. Whiting, a representative of the Liberty Mutual Life Insurance company, instructed the employes of the Lowell Gas Light company as to the method of reviving victims of drowning, gas poisoning, and electrical shocks yesterday. Arrangements for the lecture were made by C. K. Prichard, general manager of the Gas company with the object that the employes might know how to act in case of emergency while at work.

Mr. Whiting used the Shaeffer method of resuscitation the method now used by the Red Cross, Y.M.C.A. and other organizations. He gave a short talk on the necessity of artificial respiration continued for hours if necessary in cases of this kind and told several instances where lives had been saved by continued effort after doctors had pronounced the victim dead.

Using one of the employes as a supposed victim, Mr. Whiting demonstrated the method. Placing the body of the supposed victim on the floor, face down, with one arm outstretched and the other hooked at the elbow and passed under the face to keep the mouth and nose from the ground, he knelt over the victim and placed both hands on the back of the body, over the floating ribs, applying pressure there at intervals of a few seconds so that air would be forced into and out of the lungs by the diaphragm. He explained that considerable pressure was necessary and should be applied regularly but not too fast. In case of drowning he said that it was necessary to lift the body by the pit of the stomach so that the feet and head were lower, and in that way help to rid the lungs of water.

Mr. Whiting gave four lectures and demonstrations, the first at 12 o'clock to the employes of the service, maintenance and sales departments. At 1 o'clock to the workmen at the School street plant. At 2.30 at the main office in Shattuck street, and at 4 o'clock for the jobbing department including teamsters, chauffeurs, and all other workers in that department.

COACH RYDER SIGNS

NEWTON, Feb. 2.—Jack Ryder, track coach at Boston college, has signed a five year contract to continue his work. Under his guidance his teams have won two eastern intercollegiate titles and last spring tied with Massachusetts Institute of Technology in New England Intercollegiates. Many athletes of international repute have been developed by Ryder, among them Jake Driscoll, holder of the world's record for 500 yards.

ATE TOO MUCH! A FEW TABLETS EASE STOMACH

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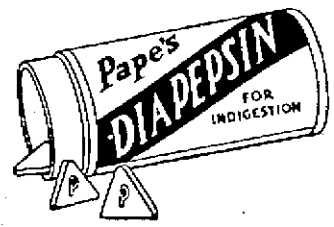

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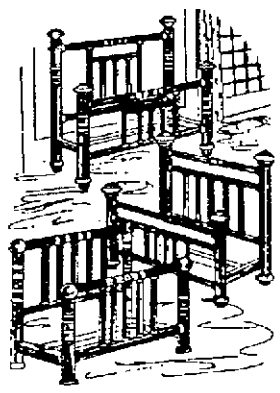

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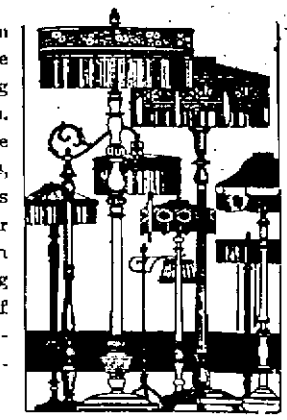

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including back and seat cushions of cretonne, faced on both sides. Finished in rich dull brown.

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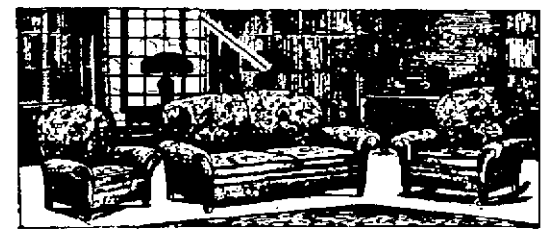

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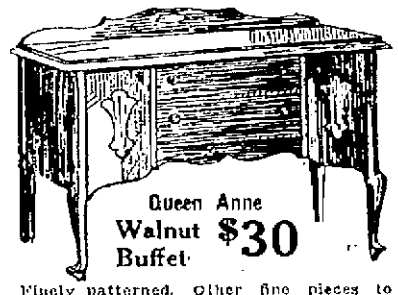
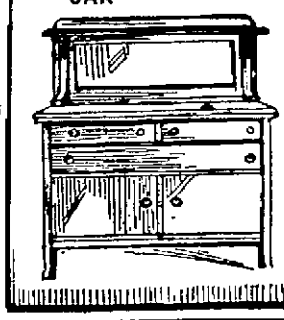


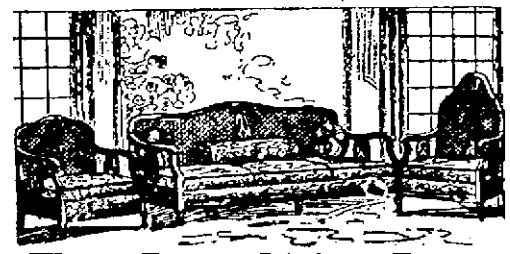
Queen Anne Walnut Buffet $30

Finely patterned. Other fine pieces to match. A large discount from original price.

GOLDEN OAK Buffet $17.50



Mirror, two large top drawers, linen drawer and spacious cupboard. Low priced at $17.50. Other Pieces to Match at Low Prices



Three-Piece Living Room

A stunning suite, upholstered in fine pattern rich velour and having cane back on sofa and chair. Two pillows and bolster with sofa. February discount special.... $149.50

Four-Piece Chamber Suite

Charming two-tone suite made from good grade walnut (in combination with other excellent woods.) Bow-end Bed, extra large Dresser, Chiffonobe and Toilet Table.... $149.50

Three-Piece Chamber Suite

In excellent walnut. Includes bow-end bed, extra large dresser and full vanity case, chiffonier and vanity stool extra. February reduced special $165

Seven-Piece Dining Room

A remarkable value shown in this Walnut Suite. An oblong Table, large Buffet, Server and four Chairs with blue leather seats. Marked very low $158.50

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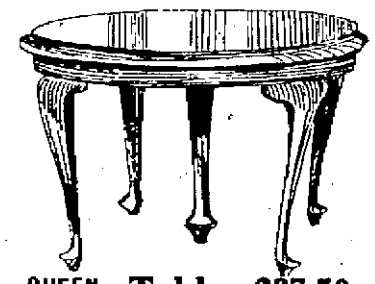

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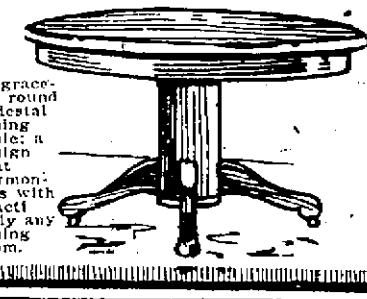

A graceful round pedestal dining table; a design that harmonizes with practically any dining room.

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HOW THEY LOOK IN HALIFAX.

Mrs. Ora Doherty has been picked as the most beautiful young woman in Halifax. She will attend the Montreal winter carnival as Miss Halifax.

U. S. SCIENTISTS SAIL

Hope to Make Discoveries That Will Throw Light Upon Early Races

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Discoveries that may reveal the recent finds in the "Valley of Kings" at Luxor, Egypt, and which may throw light upon early races on the American continents, are expected in the Yucatan peninsula, the "Egypt of America," four American archaeologists announced yesterday when they sailed on the steamship Esperanza for Progresso, Mexico. They will be joined shortly by a number of other scientists well equipped for an expedition expected to continue for months.

William Barclay Parsons, chairman of the executive committee of the Archaeological Institute of Yucatan, Dr. Marshall H. Saville of Columbia university, representing the museum of the American Indian; Dr. John C. Merriam, president of the Carnegie institute of Washington, D. C., and Dr. Herbert J. Spinden of Peabody museum, Cambridge, Mass., made up the party.

Ancient cities of the Mayas through Yucatan, Mexico and Central America will be visited and excavated, it was announced. Special study will be made of two cities recently discovered in the jungle wilderness, Uxmal and Chichen-Itza. Efforts also will be made to translate hieroglyphics unearthed from the ruins of these and other cities, the strongholds of the Maya race which vanished more than a thousand years ago. The earliest Maya date fixed is 100 B. C.

The Mexican government, it is said, is co-operating with the scientists. The main party composed of 20 members of the Yucatan Institute, will leave in a week.

Radio Broadcasts

STATION WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Dance music by the Shepard Colonial orchestra; selections on the player-piano and phonograph.

8-9.30 p. m.—Concert program by Mrs. Abbie Reynolds Hubbard, coloratura soprano; R. Percival Parham, tenor; Lauchland Henry, baritone; Floyd Hill, violinist; Miss Angelina Loveland, accompanist. Soprano solos, Winds of the South (Scott), Summertime (Ward Stephens), The Blue Birds Return (Lily Strickland), Miss Abbie Reynolds Hubbard. Duet, All My Life, from Martha (Flotow), Mr. Parham, Mr. Henry. Violin solo, selected, by Mr. Hill. Tenor solos, Ah, Moon of My Delight (Lehmann), Every Valley Shall Be Exalted (Handel), Mr. Parham. Baritone solos, Hear Me Ye Winds and Waves (Handel), Thou Art Risen My Beloved (Coleridge-Taylor), Mr. Henry. Soprano solos, Homage to Spring (MacFadden), Caro Nome (Verdi), Mrs. Hubbard. Tenor solos, The Sweetest Story Ever Told (Stults), The Mother Sings, Ah, Bellovo Mo (Old English), A Red, Red Rose (Rogers), Mr. Parham. Violin solo, selected, Mr. Hill. Baritone solos, The Two Grenadiers (Schuman), I Stood on de Ribber ob Jordan (Burleigh-Negro Spiritual), Mr. Henry. Duet, O Lightly Flitting Swallows (Thomas), Mrs. Hubbard, Mr. Henry.

STATION WGI, MEDFORD HILLSIDE

3 p. m.—Reproductions by the Chickering Ampico and Brunswick. Mid-afternoon news broadcast. Continuation of musical program.

5 p. m.—Children's Hour. Stories for Girls read by "Uncle Billy." Musical accompaniment by "Uncle Eddie."

5.30 p. m.—Closing report on farmers' produce market report (485 metres). Livestock markets and butter and eggs reports (485 metres).

6 p. m.—Late news flashes. Early sports news.

6.15 p. m.—Code practice, Lesson No. 3.

6.30 p. m.—Boston police reports, Boston police headquarters.

9.30 p. m.—Concert by the Law Concert company of Boston, Mr. J. Harry Law, manager, composed of Mr. Arthur Bassnet, pianist, Miss Edna Felch, soprano, Mrs. Florence Gifford, contralto.

Piano Medley ..... Feist
Mr. Bassnet
Soprano Solo, Bird on the Wing, Cook-Nutting
Miss Felch
Vocal Duet, Kiss Me, Dear, Hollingsworth
Miss Felch and Mrs. Gifford
Baritone Solo, The Star of Love Is Booming ..... Ramsay
Mr. Law
Vocal Trio, Old Calico Blue..Loveday
Miss Felch, Mrs. Gifford and Mr. Law
Bass Solo, Big Bass Viol....Bohannon
Mr. Law
Soprano Solo, The Swallows, Dell Aqua
Miss Felch
Popular Songs:
a—Blue Eyes ..... Berlin
b—Where the Bamboo Bables Grow, Bernstein
Mr. Law
Vocal Duet, Awake, Dearest One, Ball
Mrs. Gifford and Mr. Law
Pianologue,
Mr. Bassnett
Novelty Song, A Summer Shower, Richardson
Miss Felch
Novelty Songs:
a—Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean, Mills
b—Laughing Song .....Law
Mr. Law
Piano Solo, Blue Bells of Scotland, Baker
Mr. Bassnett
a—College Medley .....Norworth
b—Character Solo, Uncle Joe, Gilbert
Mr. Law

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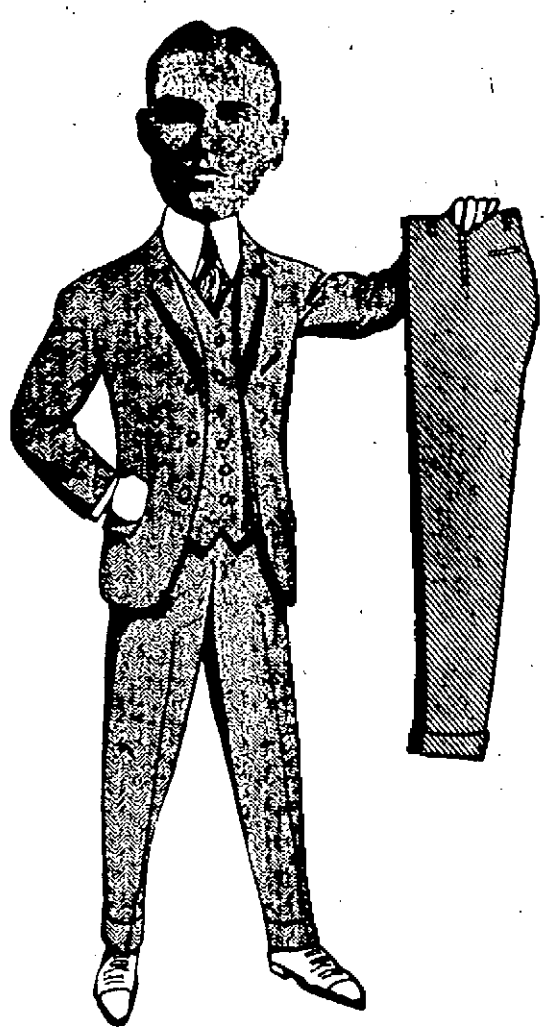

And When I Say FREE I Mean It

This Sale Started Ten Days Ago

Since Then Mine Has Been the Busiest

TAILOR SHOP IN TOWN

Right after Christmas my shop didn't have orders enough to wad a shot gun; most of my tailors had to lay off. They needed the work and I wanted to keep my organization intact, so as to be ready for the Spring rush. I then decided to sell clothes at less than cost. The orders poured in. Last Friday and Saturday I sold over a hundred orders. This week I hope to do even better. This shop of ours is, I believe, the happiest shop in town. Join the fun and at the same time save fifteen to eighteen dollars on your order.

HERE'S THE REASON

The end of the year just before inventory finds me with several hundred yards of Broken pieces just large enough for a suit or an extra pair of Pants, also several ends of Plaid Back Overcoatings, some sold as high as $40.00.

The materials are All Wool and Worsteds in Fancy Silk Mixtures, Scotches and Cheviots, including Black and Blues, nothing reserved. Ordinarily these garments would cost you ten to twenty more than I price. I offer them today. My January Sale is your opportunity to secure a suit or overcoat made in your individual measure and where I have the goods for extra pants they don't cost you a penny. I incorporate all the latest styles without extra cost. You choose your own material and style of garment and I make it to fit—and guarantee that it will fit—or your money back.

Signed, MITCHELL.

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Boys' Percale Blouses.....48c

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Boys' All Wool Stockings...29c
Boys' Black Stockings, 12½c—2 for 25c
Boys' Pants ...98c, $1.48, $1.69
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55c (75c Value) 2 FOR $1.00

Men's Overcoats (Plaid Back) $14.75
Men's Suits $14.75
Men's Overcoats $19.75
Men's Suits (2 Pants) ..$17.75
Men's Overcoats $19.75
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Men's Union Suits (Gray)..98c
Shirts and Drawers, each....98c
Men's Union Suits (white) $1.29
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Percale Shirts 69c—3 for $2.00

Men's Shirts and Drawers
39c (75c Value) 2 FOR 75c

Men's Work Pants $1.98
All Wool Army Pants $1.98
Corduroy Work Pants.....$2.48
Work Pants $2.48
Heavy All Wool Pants $2.98
Fancy Worsted Pants $2.98
Heavy Cotton Hose, 10c—12 for $1.00

Cotton Hose 12½, 8 Pairs $1.00
Merino Hose 25c
All Wool Cashmere Hose, 35c—3 for $1.00
Cashmere Hose (Gray), 35c—3 for $1.00
Black Cotton Lisle Hose, 19c—6 for $1.00

Boys' Flannelette Blouses
(KHAKI AND GRAY)
48c

Chambray Work Shirts, 69c—3 for $2.00
Flannel Work Shirts $1.49
Shop Coats .....$2.45 and $2.98

Work Shirts (Blue, Black and Khaki) 98c
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AVIATOR'S MAP

Impossible for Airmen to Become Lost on Coast

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—An army aviator's map, worked out upon such an elaborate scale that army officers believe it will be virtually impossible for aviators to become lost on the Pacific coast in the future, has just been completed here, it was announced today.

LOOKING FOR BREAK

A crew of "trouble-shooters" from the telephone company are still trying to locate the break in one of the cables in Centralville that put twenty lines, serving fifty subscribers, out of order the first of this week. The men have been working on this break since yesterday morning but had not been able to locate it up to noon today.

DR. WM. F. SMITH DEAD

SOMERVILLE, Feb. 2—Dr. William French Smith, president since 1905 of the Mexican Telephone & Telegraph company, died at his home here today. He was a graduate of Harvard, for 18 years state assayer and in addition to his interest in telephone development in Mexico, was engaged for many years in chemical and metallurgical research. He was born at Avon in 1854.

JAPANESE TENNIS STAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—S. Kashio, a Japanese tennis star, was here today with his wife, on his way to New York. Kashio said Ichiya Kumagae would return to the United States in April and would be accompanied by one or two of the most promising young players in Japan.

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2 Dials, 3 in. 50c
2 Switch Arms 30c
1 Rheostat with Knob 30c
1 V. T. Socket..... 25c
1 Set Name Plates complete 20c
Phone and Grid Condenser with Grid Leak 30c
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10 Binding Posts 40c
16 Contact Points..... 27c
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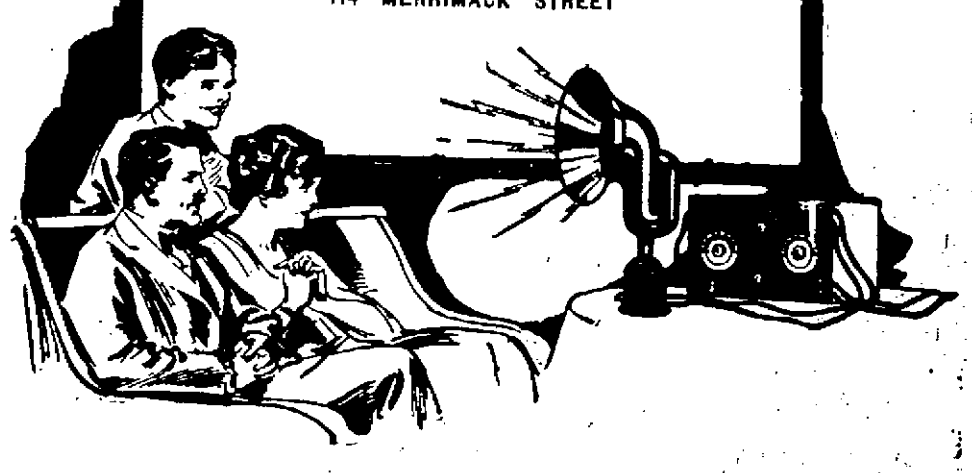

IS THIS COSTUME IMMODEST?

Police raided a theatre in the "flop-house" quarter of Chicago and charged actors with putting on an immodest show. Mary Raymond, shown here, says her costume and dance weren't immodest and she appeared this way before Municipal Court Judge Richardson to prove it. What do you think?

COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold in Few Hours

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. The first dose opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages of head; stops nose running; relieves headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing. The second and third doses usually break up the cold completely and end all grippe misery.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist upon Pape's.—Adv.

ANNUAL DANCING PARTY

Big Crowd Braves Weather to Attend Pollard Co. Employes' Dance

In spite of the rain which threatened to turn the down-town streets into miniature rivers, about 500 couples wended their way to the Memorial Auditorium last night to take part in the 18th annual dancing party of the A. G. Pollard Company Employes' Mutual Benefit association, and made it the biggest and best ever run by the association.

Dancing began at 8.30, after a short concert by Broderick's orchestra, and continued until 11 o'clock, when intermission was announced so that the dancers could refresh themselves with ice cream and tonic. Following intermission, dancing was continued until one o'clock this morning. The last dance before intermission was called the "Pollard Special." During the dance gaily colored balloons were carried by the ladies and added much to the beauty and the enjoyment of the evening.

Sitting in the parquet circle during the dance were Mr. Arthur G. Pollard, proprietor of the store, and Miss Martha Fuller, his niece.

The officers in charge of the dance were as follows: Joseph F. Finnerty, general manager; Winnifred Fleming, assistant general manager; J. Paul Doherty, floor director; Margaret C. Sullivan, assistant floor director; Mildred M. O'Connor, treasurer; John T. Mara, chief aid; and the following aids: Irene Prendergast, Jennie McGrath, Alice Murningham, Regina Shultz, Theresa Curtin, Lillian O'Brien, Alfred LaRose, Edward White, Paul Chevalier, Peter Finnerty, Edward Cronin, John Leary.

The reception committee was composed of the following: William Tucker and John Tully. The officers of the E.M.B.A. are: President, William G. Tucker; vice-president, John J. Tully; secretary, Winnifred Flemings; treasurer, Justin Kimball; collector, Mildred O'Connor; board of trustees, Joseph Finnerty and John Orrell.

"Doctor, I Want Teeth I Can Eat With"

A man came into this office some time ago and made the above statement. He said he had two sets of teeth and could not eat with either of them. I made him a set and he came in the office later and said they were the only ones he could keep in his mouth while eating. In fact he could chew peanuts and eat apples without the least trouble.

The reason for this is my particular method of taking impressions, study of the shape and relation of the jaws, and correct articulation of the teeth.

Now, I can make you a set of teeth just as good as his. If your plate drops or rocks come in, for I make a specialty of difficult cases and will examine your mouth and give you advice free of charge.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

The Pantheon Singers, with an extensive repertoire of operatic and concert numbers, hold down the top place at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. The five members of the organization touch some specially high spots during the 20 minutes they are on the stage. Pinto & Boyle, who deliver comedy, have given audiences all they could well wish. They are exceptionally facile laugh-causers. Then there are Williams and Taylor, toe tappers of speed and originality, while Bob Anderson and his polo pony present the best equine act seen here in many years. Watmsley & Keating have a comic turn which is diverting, and Fridkin & Rhoda are eccentric dancers with a style of their own. The comedy and juggling of Rich Hayes, the lazy clown, are pleasing.

RIALTO THEATRE

Two good productions feature the week-end program of the Rialto theatre for Friday and Saturday. The program has George Larkin and Jacqueline Logan in "Saved by Radio," and the other attraction introduces Pete Morrison in "Better Man Wins." There is also a comedy and the Rialto News Review.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Only a few opportunities remain for Lowell people to see "Clarence," the noted Booth Tarkington play now being shown in screen form at the Merrimack Square theatre. The photoplay will close its engagement tomorrow evening. The other feature of the current program is "Anna Ascends," starring Alice Brady.

"WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER"

Cosmopolitan's big production, "When Knighthood Was in Flower," starring Marion Davies, which opens a week's engagement at the Merrimack Square theatre Sunday afternoon, is said by its producers to be the most expensive motion picture ever made, having cost more than a million dollars. Eminent art critics have given the photoplay great praise for the correctness of its settings. Europe and America were ransacked for just the right articles to reproduce faithfully the gorgeous court scenes which form an important part of the picture.

THE STRAND

Life in the metropolis, with its bright lights and sinister shadows, successes and reverses, heart aches and triumphs, are vividly portrayed in the William Fox production, "Lights of New York," which is being shown at The Strand. Notable in the cast is Marc MacDermott, who enacts the role of the stock broker who becomes a derelict after his sweetheart marries. Estelle Taylor plays opposite him.

Charles (Buck) Jones in "West of Chicago" is the other choice offering to be enjoyed.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"The Meanest Man in the World," has had an exceptionally successful week judging from the viewpoint of the box office and also from the viewpoint of the highly enthusiastic audiences. The play which was originally written by George M. Cohan for himself, is a red blooded play of American life that is especially appealing, with an actor like Arthur de Lord playing the lead. Richard Clarke, "the meanest man in the world," was originally played by the marvellous "George" and the whole action of the play is centered around the character that he made famous. Arthur de Lord with his 14 years' experience in stock delivered his lines smoothly and convincingly. Mary Ann Dentler, the clever versatile leading lady plays Jane Hudson with a sympathetic understanding that has none of the usual hackneyed character to it so common with many stock players. The audiences that are attending the performances are of the very highest class and the theatre is becoming more and more popular as a rendezvous for parties.

Dresses, Coats and Millinery at Chalifoux's

SECOND FLOOR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT

Spring Ready-to-Wear and Millinery are coming into this department in great quantities. The thrifty buyer can be sure of finding the newest of early Spring showings at very fair prices.

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Poiret Twill, Canton Crepe, Taffeta, Wool Crepe and Milo Sham Dresses, in brown, navy and black.

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Sizes 16 to 52

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New designs in brown, navy and beaver. Excellent for school girl wear. Sizes 16 to 44.

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A Few Trimmed Hats at $5.00

Timbo Straw Hats, with flower trims. Very special at $3.95

Timbo Straw, Hair Cloth and Silk Trimmed Hats All new spring colors. $5.00

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Dresses

Another lot of Taffetas and Poiret Twills in the very newest designs—Brown, navy and black. Also new models and shades in Crepe Knit.

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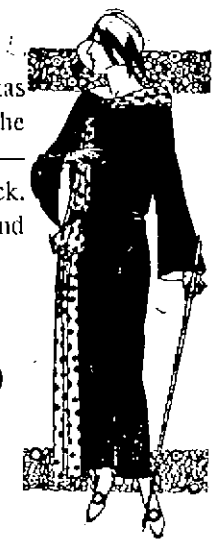

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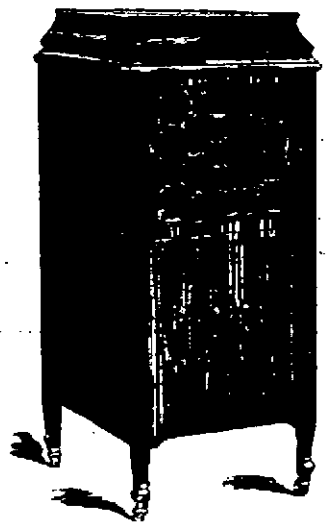

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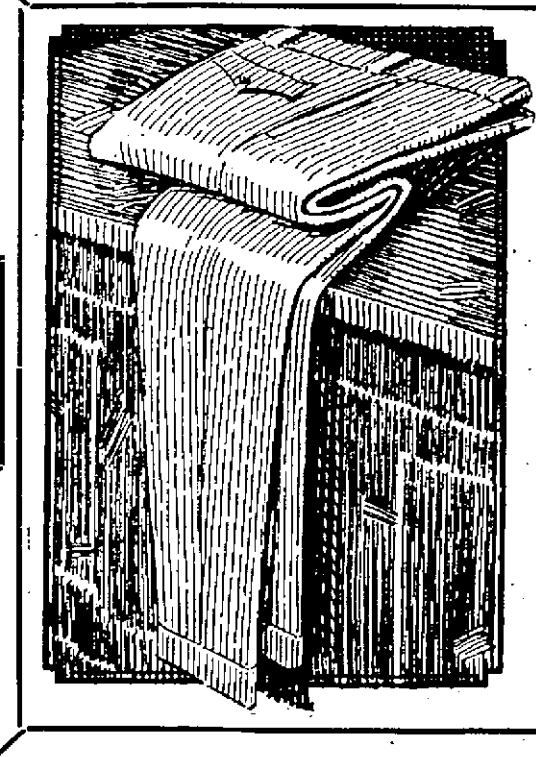

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Sizes 28 to 54 Waist

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Not Even Cat Came Back When Town Was Moved by Auto Trucks

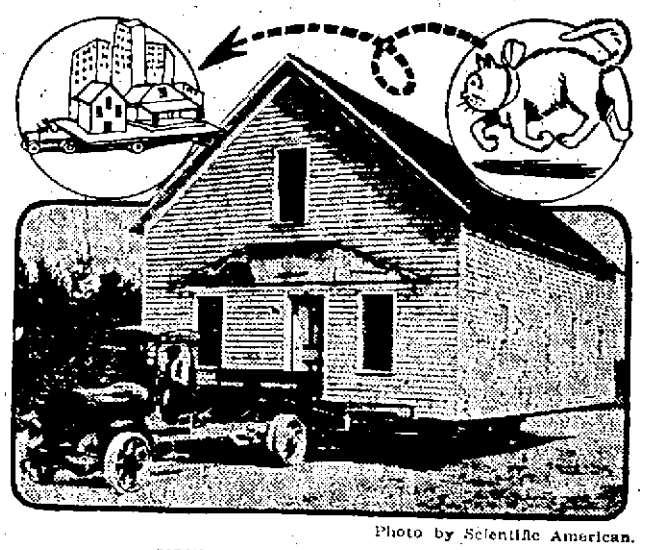

Photo by Scientific American.

MOVING DAY IN JENNINGS, MICH.

By N.E.A. Service.

JENNINGS, Mich., Feb. 1.—This town is being moved to Cadillac, 12 miles away, by auto truck.

Its houses are being jerked up "by the roots," placed on trailers, hauled through the heavy snows and transplanted intact. Fifty-six homes have already been moved and there are still about 20 more to go.

Little difficulty is experienced. The owners pack their furniture, lock their doors, go visiting for a few hours, and then find their homes on a new street in Cadillac.

They even find the family cat waiting for them on the front doorstep.

One cat, somewhat disturbed at seeing her home picked up and carted away, ran off.

"That night," says Eric Swanson, her owner, "when we came to Cadillac we found old tabby perching on the window sill. She had run along and followed the truck. She sure did make the old place feel like home."

Jennings was founded about 25 years ago by a saw mill company. When the timber in the vicinity was cut down it was decided to move the mills, families and houses to the new site.

This is being done on a specially constructed trailer hauled by a powerful motor truck. To support its 30 to 45-ton load a special road was built. But so far the transplanting has been carried on without any casualties—not even broken window panes.

AFTER your energies have been "short circuited" through undue exposure, fatigue or worry, restore the system to normal health and vigor by taking that blood-maker and tissue-builder

BOVININE

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FILE ESTIMATES

(Special to The Sun.)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 2.—Middlesex county commissioner estimate that they will spend $1,575,500 during the year 1923 according to the county estimates filed with the legislature by Henry F. Long, commissioner of corporations and taxation.

The estimated receipts of the county commissioners are $291,319.12.

Their statement in detail follows:

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Interest	$ 5,000
Clerk of courts and register of deeds	115,000
District and police courts	6,000
Jails and houses of correction	22,000
Fines, costs and fees	15,000
Training school	5,000
Miscellaneous	1,000
Total	$168,000

Balance in treasury at closing of books for the year 1921, $183,773.68.

Less special appropriations, $10,837.-59. Less held for dog account, $49,556.37, $60,453.96.

Net balance, treasury, $123,319.72.

Estimated amount available $291,319.92

Estimated expenditures.

Interest on county debt	$ 40,000
Reduction of county debt	29,000
Salaries of county officers and assistants, fixed by law	64,000
Clerical assistance in county offices	173,000
Salaries and expenses, district and police courts	190,000
Salaries of jailers, masters and assistants and support of prisoners in jails and houses of correction	138,000
Criminal costs in superior court	140,000
Civil expenses in supreme and superior courts	135,000
Trial justices	1,000
Transportation of county commissioners	1,500
Medical examiners, inquests and care of the insane	25,000
Auditors, masters and referees	20,000
Repairing, furnishing and improving county buildings	55,000
Care, fuel, lights and supplies in county buildings, other than jails and houses of correction	113,000
Highways, bridges and land damages	325,000
Law libraries	7,000
Training school	42,000
County aid to agriculture	35,000
State Reservations (Walden pond)	7,00
Pensions	20,000
Miscellaneous	5,000
Reserve for transfer only	10,000
Total	$1,575,500

Last year the appropriation for the county was $1,319,525.45.

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Chalifoux's Special Sale

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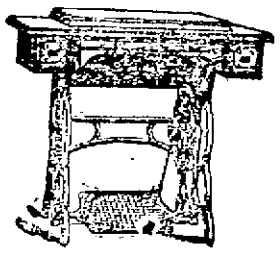

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$27.50 Complete

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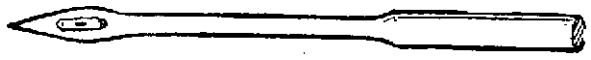
$1.00 A Week after a first payment which secures delivery to your home.

Here's a fine new machine at a price you would expect to pay for a used machine. Beautifully made and finished, two drawer cabinet; runs easily and quietly. These machines, notwithstanding the low price, each carries our guarantee. The number is limited.



Sale of NEEDLES for all makes of Sewing Machines

All First Quality Steel Needles for Singer, White, Standard, Davis, Wheeler & Wilson, Willcox & Gibbs, National, Free, New Home, Domestic, Eldredge and Others.

17c A Dozen

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SEWING MACHINE DEPARTMENT

Located in Daylight Basement

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A Timely Topic for Every Family

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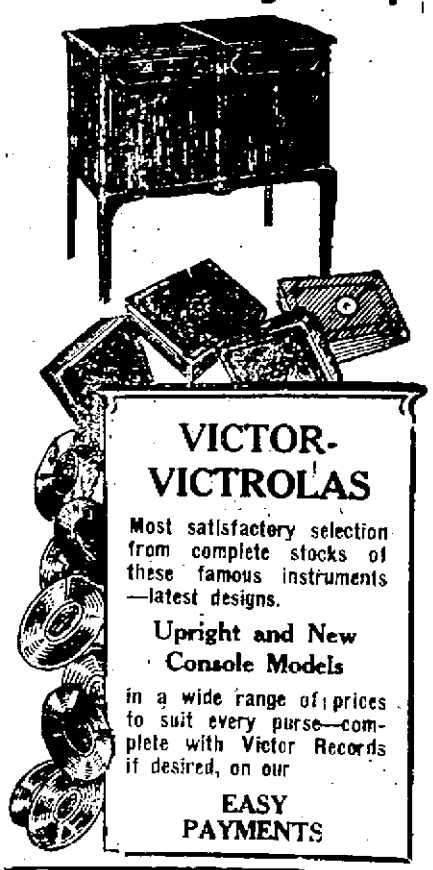

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Most satisfactory selection from complete stocks of these famous instruments—latest designs.

Upright and New Console Models

in a wide range of prices to suit every purse—complete with Victor Records if desired, on our

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After Stock-Taking Sale

FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

Chalifoux's Corner

Dress Goods

Street Floor

Regular $3.47 Satin Faced Canton Crepe—All silk, 40-in. wide, heavy, firm quality, high lustrous finish. One of the season's most popular fabrics for dresses, overblouses, etc. In navy, black and medium or dark brown. After Stock Taking Price, yard $2.97

Regular $5.98 All Silk Chiffon Velvet—40 in. wide, high lustrous soft drapery finish, about 20 yards to close out, black only. After Stock Taking Price, per yard $4.00

Regular 39c Imported Japanese Crepe—30-in. wide. About 20 pretty shades to choose from. Very good for kimonos and dresses. After Stock Taking Price, yard 29c

Regular $2.29 Duchess Satin—36-in. wide, all silk, firmly woven, high lustrous finish, in a rich jet black. After Stock Taking Price only, per yard... $1.39

Regular $2.27 Silk and Wool Canton Crepe—40-in. wide, good heavy crepe weave. Correct weight for dresses. Full line of pretty street and evening shades to choose from. A splendid value. After Stock Taking Price, yard.... $1.79

Linens and Domestics

Street Floor

Regular 39c All Linen Toweling—Extra heavy linen, very absorbent and durable. Fine for dish or roller toweling. After Stock Taking Price, yard 22c

Regular $5.00 50% Wool Blankets—Heavy double blankets, pure white, with fast color pink or blue border, double stitched muslin binding. Extra good value. After Stock Taking Price, pr. $3.85

Regular $4.45 Block Plaid Blankets—Large double bed size. Heavy twill construction. Soft nap. Chain stitch binding. After Stock Taking Price, pr..... $2.69

Regular $1.25 Double Bed Blankets—In grey only. Excellent for sheet blankets. After Stock Taking Price, each 95c

Regular $12.00 All Wool Blankets—In white and black plaids. After Stock Taking Price, pair $9.50

Regular $3.39 Bates Scalloped Bed Spreads. All first quality. Conventional patterns. After Stock Taking Price, ea. $2.75

Regular $1.25 36-inch Irish Linen—Pure bleach, fine for embroidery of all kinds. Warranted all pure linen. After Stock Taking Price, yard 89c

Toilet Goods

Street Floor

Ivory Mirrors—$5.00 value. After Stock Taking Price, each $2.98

Djer Kiss Double Vanity Case, with four extra re-fills. $1.00 value. After Stock Taking Price, each 79c

Metal Hot Water Bottles—Guaranteed one year. $1.50 value. After Stock Taking Price, each 83c

Cold Cream and Vanishing Cream. 50c value. After Stock Taking Price 29c

Coty's Sachet, Chypre, L'Origan, Rose, Styx and Jasmere, in sealed bottles. $1.00 value. After Stock Taking Price 79c

Magic Perfumed Depilatory (for removing hair). $1.00 value. After Stock Taking Price... 69c

Pyralin Puff Box and Hair Receiver. $1.19 value. After Stock Taking Price 79c

Mavis Talcum Powder, 25c—Mavis Face Powder, 50c—Mavis Soap, 25c. After Stock Taking Combination Price, all three for..... 69c

Lady Mary Face Powder, 50c—Lady Mary Rouge, 50c—Lady Mary Talcum Powder, 35c. After Stock Taking Combination Price, all three for 63c

Hosiery

Pure Thread Glove Silk Hose—Plain and drop-stitched. Black and colors. Regular $2.29 value. After Stock Taking Price $1.95

Silk and Wool and All Wool Hose—With silk embroidered clocks. Light and dark shades. Regular $3.50 and $3.75 values. After Stock Taking Price... $2.75

All Wool Sport Hose—Ribbed effects, some with clocks. Values up to $3.25. After Stock Taking Price $1.69

Silk and Wool Hose—Seamed back. Black and cordovan and light shades. Regular $1.65 value. After Stock Taking Price $1.49

Wool Sport Hose—Heather mixtures. Values to $1.25. After Stock Taking Price 75c

Children's All Wool Sport Sox—With fancy turned cuffs. Values up to $1.65. After Stock Taking Price 95c

Children's Cashmere Stockings—Black, cordovan and a few heather mixtures. Regular 89c and 95c values. After Stocking Price, pair 79c

Boys' Department

Boys' Sweaters—Not all wool, just a little cotton mixture. Coarse knit, warm and durable. $2.45 values. After Stock Taking Price $1.29

Boys' Flannel Blouses—Grey and khaki. Our regular 95c grades. After Stock Taking Price, each 79c

Boys' Sweaters—For Winter sports. Girls like them, too. White, buff, blue, brown, fancy combinations. $7.50 and $8.50 values. After Stocking Taking Price $4.45

Sport Hose—All wool, coarse rib. $1.25 value. After Stock Taking Price 85c

Boys' Suits, 7 to 17—Mackinaws, 8 to 12 and 16 to 18—Junior O'Coats. 5 to 9. After Stock Taking Price, each. $4.95

Boys' Gloves and Mittens—Woolen or leather. 75c and $1 values. After Stock Taking Price 50c

Boys' Sheepskin Lined Coats—With fur collar. Best make. Sport style. $12.50 values. After Stock Taking Price $8.45

Leather and Jewelry

New Leather Hand Bags—Of Beaver, Velvet Calf, Pin Seal and Patent Leather. Some fitted with large mirror, others with swinging purse. After Stock Taking Price $2.95

Pocketbooks—Of patent Leather and Calf, in brown and black. After Stock Taking Price, each $1.00

Sweater Pins—Of Sterling Silver, Sheffield Silver and Gold. Sets of 2 and 3 pieces. After Stock Taking Price 59c

New Dress Buckles—In all fashionable colors. After Stock Taking Price, 59c to $1.49

We have engaged for Friday and Saturday a demonstrator of Slipper Buckles, who will show you how they are constructed of hand-made filigree.

Gloves

Ladies' Two-Clasp Kid Gloves—Black with white or all black. A few all white. Values $1.69 pair. After Stock Taking Price, 79c

Ladies' One-Clasp Mocha Gloves—Grey only, in broken sizes. Value $3.00 pair. After Stock Taking Price, pair..... $1.00

Knit Underwear

Ladies' Fleeced and Fine Combed Union Suits—Low neck, short sleeves and ankles. Knee length. Very good assortment of sizes. Values up to $3.00. All well known makes. After Stock Taking Price $1.00

Children's Fleece Lined Vests. Sizes, 2-14. Regular 59c and 85c values. After Stock Taking Price 38c

Women's Medium Weight Union Suits—Low neck, no sleeves, ankle length. Regular $1.25 value. After Stock Taking Price 79c

Ladies' Silk and Satin Camisoles—Lace trimmed. Regular $1.49 value. After Stock Taking Price 88c

Neckwear

Brushed Angora Wool Scarfs In brown, buff and heather mixtures. Regular $1.50 values. After Stock Taking Price, each..... $1.19

Sample Lot of Linen, Organdie and Lace Vests—With cuffs to match. Regular 75c and $1 values. After Stock Taking Price, each..... 50c

Wide Brushed and Angora Wool Scarfs—With and without belt and pockets. Regular $3.50 and $4.00 values. After Stock Taking Price, each $2.19

Georgette Ruffing — With gathered top for Bertha collars. White only. Regular $2.00 value. After Stock Taking Price, yard $1.00

Handkerchiefs

A Sample Lot of Women's Linen Handkerchiefs — In colors and white. Regular 25c and 20c values. After Stock Taking Price, each..... 15c

Women's Colored Novelty Handkerchiefs — Reg. 15c value. After Stock Taking Price—Three for 25c

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—With 1-4 inch hem. Regular 35c value. After Stock Taking Price 25c

Men's Soft Finish Initialed Handkerchiefs — Odd initials only. Regular 19c value. After Stock Taking Price, each 12½c

Children's Sample Handkerchiefs—In white and colors. Regular 12½c value. After Stock Taking Price, each..... 5c

Smallwares

Rubber Kitchen Aprons—Regular 39c value. After Stock Taking Price 29c

Whisk Brooms—Regular 35c value. After Stock Taking Price, each 21c

Rick-Rack Braid — Regular 15c value. After Stock Taking Price 10c

Corset Garters—Regular 25c value. After Stock Taking Price, Pair 19c

Invisible Hair Pins—Regular 5c value. After Stock Taking Price, Two for 5c

Knitting Worsted Yarn—All colors. Regular 59c value. After Stock Taking Price, skein 49c

CHALIFOUX'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

Flannel Bloomers—500 pairs, very good weight material; 59c value. Bargain Basement Price.... 38c

Hosiery—800 pairs of lisle or heather mixtures, many with clocks; values up to 79c. Bargain Basement Price 29c

Apron Ginghams 27 inches wide, fast colors; regularly priced at 19c and 22c yard. While the lot lasts, Bargain Basement Price 12½c

Ratine Suitings—34 inches wide, in good lengths; regular price 39c yard. While the lot lasts, Bargain Basement Price, yard 18c

Printed Voiles and Crepes—1500 yards, 36 and 40 inches wide, very beautiful designs; 59c values. Bargain Basement Price 19c

Beacon Flannel Vests—Bargain Basement Price 39c

Outing Flannel—Regularly 16c, soft fleecy nap, heavy construction, in a variety of stripes and colorings. While the lot lasts, Bargain Basement Price, yard. 9c

Brassieres—Regular $1.25 value. Bargain Basement Price 69c

Corsets—Regular $1.50 value. Bargain Basement Price 89c

Chalifoux's Circulating Library—Street Floor—Latest Fiction—3c a Day

DR. GRANT WILL NOT BE TRIED FOR HERESY

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney Grant will not be tried for heresy because of recent sermons in the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension, he was informed last night in a letter from Bishop William T. Manning.

The bishop, who had requested Dr. Grant to "recant or resign," because of his professed doubt of the deity of Christ, said he would let the matter rest for the present, because the pastor, replying to the request, had not made clear whether he really doubted Christ's deity or not.

"You are not brought to trial because your letter in response to mine is vague and ambiguous, instead of clear and explicit," the bishop wrote.

"You have, by your utterances, caused grave doubt in the mind of the church at large as to your belief in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ. You have been given an opportunity to remove this doubt, but you have not done so. You have made your reply to me in words that fail to make clear your belief in this essential truth. There, for the present, the matter rests."

Of the threatened heresy trial, Bishop Manning said:

"Even though the faith of the church may virtually be denied and doubt cast upon her most essential belief, a court ought to be convened only when this denial is in terms that are clear and free from ambiguity."

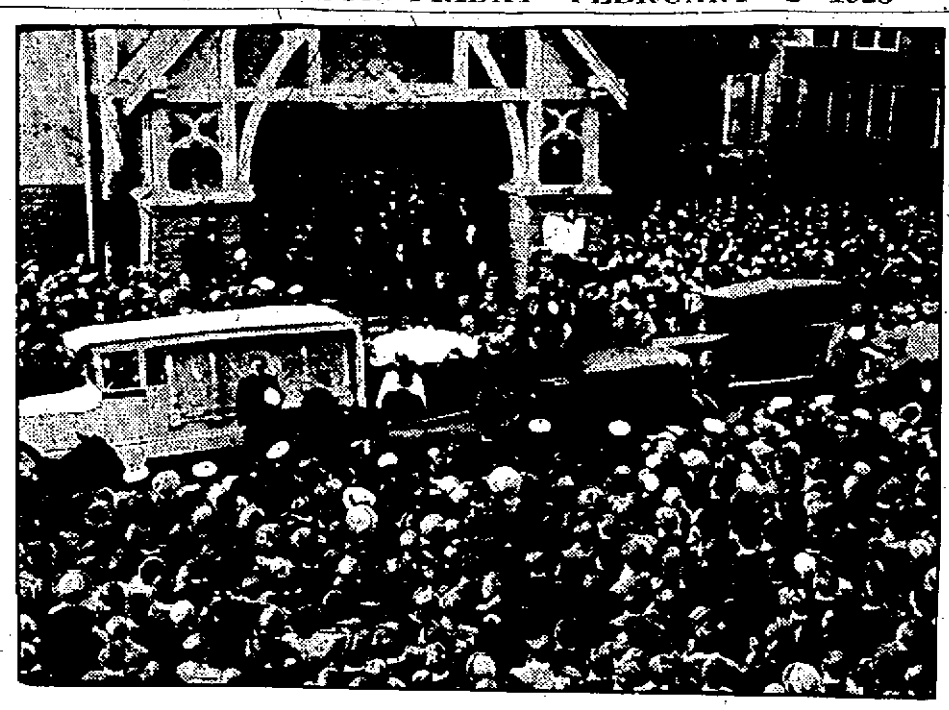
"The real issue which you have raised by your own utterances," wrote Bishop Manning, "is whether you believe that Jesus Christ is Lord and God for if you do not so believe, it is plain that you cannot with self-respect, or with freedom express your real convictions, or continue to hold your place as a minister of a church whose whole life and teaching is founded on this belief.

"It is this faith in the Lord Jesus Christ which you refrain from clearly expressing in your letter. You rather confirm the impression that you do not so believe, but you do not say so plainly and definitely. The terms in which you express your faith in Christ are all of the terms which may be used, and are in fact used, by teachers who definitely deny his deity. There is no statement in your letter which indicates any belief on your part in Jesus Christ, the eternal son of God, the second person of the Holy Trinity.

"The suggestion that young men of intellect and vigor will be repelled from the ministry if they are required to believe the faith of the church is irrelevant. No one can, with honesty, enter the ministry of this church unless he believes in Jesus Christ as God. Full belief in the gospel of Christ does not repel young men if they are Christians. What may well repel young men of high character and sound mind is any doubt to the sincerity with which the ministers of the church believe and teach the gospel which they have pledged themselves to teach.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative BROMO QUININE (Tablets.) Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.



A crowd of 10,000 gathered in Los Angeles streets to witness the funeral of Walace Reid, screen star. The picture shows part of the throng as the body was brought to the church before its cremation.

HONOR FOR LOWELL BOY AT HARVARD

By virtue of distinguished work in his studies, George K. Spyrounes of Lowell, a second-year student in the Harvard medical school, has won a scholarship in the recent award made by the university authorities.

Of 60 scholarships assigned in this award, 23 went to men in the medical school. This is the second large award made by the university this year. The total value of financial aid available yearly to meritorious students at Harvard university amounts to over one hundred fifty thousand dollars.

WILL ATTEND THE "KNICKER" DANCE

Members of the Girls' City club will meet in the Howe building at 8 o'clock this evening to arrange for attending the "knicker dance" at the Auditorium.

Next Tuesday evening the etiquette course under Miss Alice B. Sullivan, will begin, the first lesson being the A. B. C of table manners. The executive board of the club will meet next Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

An enjoyable birthday party was given January 31 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. MacMaster of 121 Hastings street, to Miss Etta Fineral in honor of her 20th birthday. She was presented many beautiful presents. A very pleasing program was given, consisting of a dance and recitation by Miss Hazel MacMaster and a dance by Miss Margaret Nobel. A buffet lunch was served after which games were played. The party broke up at a late hour wishing Miss Fineral many happy birthdays.

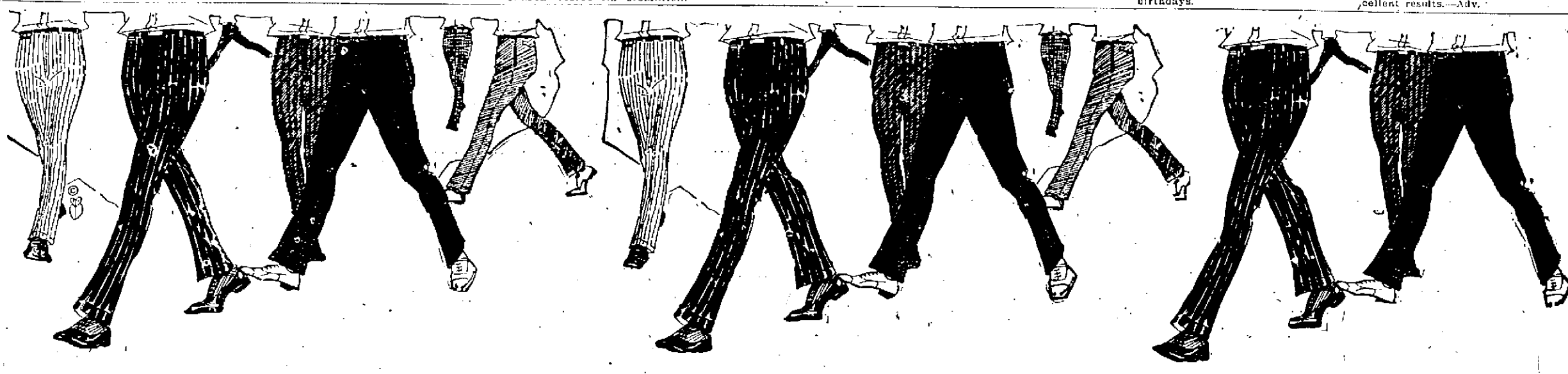
TELLS RHEUMATICS TO BEGIN ON SALTS

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid Is Cause of Indigestion

A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion are nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation; then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases, which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief often follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used by thousands of stomach sufferers with excellent results.—Adv.



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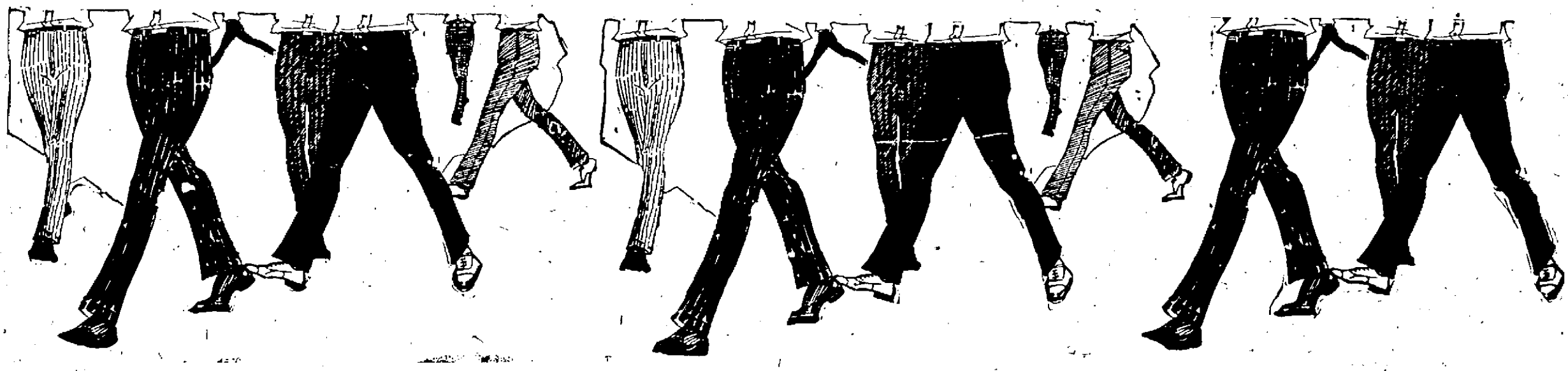

U. S. ARMY RESERVE UNIT

Military Reserve Organization Will Include Many Members From Lowell

Able-bodied Lowell citizens with patriotic military leanings are still prepared to respond to their country's call as of old, and are keeping in trim shape and training faithfully to meet all of war's alarms.

The 389th Field Artillery regiment (155-m. howitzer), Eleventh corps, U.S.A., is one of the fastest-growing organizations of the United States Army reserves and contains the names of many active and well known military men living in Lowell and vicinity.

The authorized strength of the regiment is 84 commissioned officers and approximately 1750 enlisted men. The idea of the present organization as outlined and supported by corps headquarters officials, and which consists of only reserve officers, is to have the officer personnel of the regiment assigned to different units and batteries and in case of a national emergency, the regiment will be filled with the enlisted personnel, by means of the draft.

There are at the present time vacancies for nine captains and 15 first lieutenants. Former officers of the World war have the preference. They must be in good standing within the community and will be appointed without examination. Former officers will receive due consideration by calling or writing to Major Francis J. Toohey, Const Artillery Corps, U.S.A., 308 Hildreth building, Lowell.

The following named reserve officers of the 389th Field Artillery regiment from Lowell and vicinity are already assigned to units as follows:

Stanley Alfred Foster, captain, headquarters battery; home address, 251 Foster street, Lowell.

Jackson Palmer, first lieutenant, service battery; home address, 129 Fairmount street, Lowell.

Frederick French Spaulding, first lieutenant, first battalion, headquarters and headquarters battery; home address, 1016 Middlesex street, Lowell.

Maurice Joyce Curran, second lieutenant, regimental headquarters; home address, 150 Main street, Andover.

James Francis O'Donoghue, first lieutenant, Battery B; home address, 20 Columbia street, Lowell.

James Francis Conway, second lieutenant, Battery P; home address, 113 Wentworth avenue, Lowell.

Adelard Joseph Fortin, second lieutenant, Battery B; home address, 43 Plymouth street, Lowell.

James Henry Gilbride, second lieutenant, Battery B; home address, 11 Porter street, Lowell.

William Dawson, second lieutenant, Second battalion headquarters and headquarters battery; home address, 96 Lowell street, Lowell.

Robert Leroy Jones, major, medical officer; home address, 313 Nesmith street, Lowell. (Regimental surgeon.)

Frederic Florence Donahoe, first lieutenant dental, medical officer; home address, Sun building, Lowell. (Regimental dentist).

Reserve Officers

The following named reserve officers will be assigned to the 389th Field Artillery regiment, Eleventh corps, in the near future:

Joseph Aloysius Molloy, captain; home address, Yorick club, Lowell.

William Francis Ryan, captain medical; home address, 213 Central street, Lowell.

Daniel Frederick Conlon, Jr., first lieutenant; home address, 481 Lowell street, Lawrence.

Daniel Paul Brennan, second lieutenant; home address, 775 Broadway, Lowell.

Richard Dennis Donoghue, second lieutenant; home address, 162 Pine street, Lowell.

Stephen Curtis Garrity, second lieutenant; home address, 150 Agawam street, Lowell.

Edward Kinane Burns, second lieutenant; home address, 54 Pleasant street, Lowell.

Young men of Lowell will be interested to know also that in this connection word comes from Boston headquarters of the New England department of the Military Training Camps' association of which Col. Pierpont L. Stackpole is the chairman, that the New England department is the first of the nine corps areas of the country to begin active preparations for the citizens' military training camps, to be held at Camp Devens, probably during the month of August, as it was last year.

Col. Frank C. Bolles, now chief of staff of the Ninety-fourth division of organized reserve and the first training camp commander, states:—

"In my opinion an attempt to conduct these camps in such a manner as to give the students a pleasant vacation, will result in an early failure. I view these camps as one of the most forward military measures that our country has ever attempted. I believe that their preservation and continuation will go a long way toward solving our military problems and provide us in time of war with good officer material in which we were woefully lacking in wars of the past."

ANNOUNCE REDUCTION ON MILEAGE BOOKS

Lowell patrons of the steam railroads who commute very often on mileage books have something coming to them. It isn't going to cost them so much in the future for railway fares, that is, if they commute frequently and use mileage books.

Orders have been received by the local offices of the Boston & Maine railroad to resume at once the practice of selling interchangeable mileage books good for 2,500 miles of travel at reductions of 20 per cent from the regular passenger rates.

The Sun is informed that the sale of these books at reduced rates will begin March 15, as per orders from the interstate commerce commission. A number of small railroads have been excluded from the requirements of the order, but not the Boston & Maine or the New Haven road, it was said at the Middlesex street station ticket offices today. The reason that some of the "orphan rails" were not required to reduce fares in the above manner is because some of them are financially unable to meet such a reduction at this time. Practically all of the class 1 roads, however, must reestablish their rates and reduce fares on the mileage book "interchangeables."

SCHOOLMASTERS' CLUB

Mr. Ernest W. Butterfield, commissioner of education of New Hampshire, will address the third meeting of the Massachusetts Schoolmasters' club at the Boston City club on Saturday, Feb. 3, at one o'clock.

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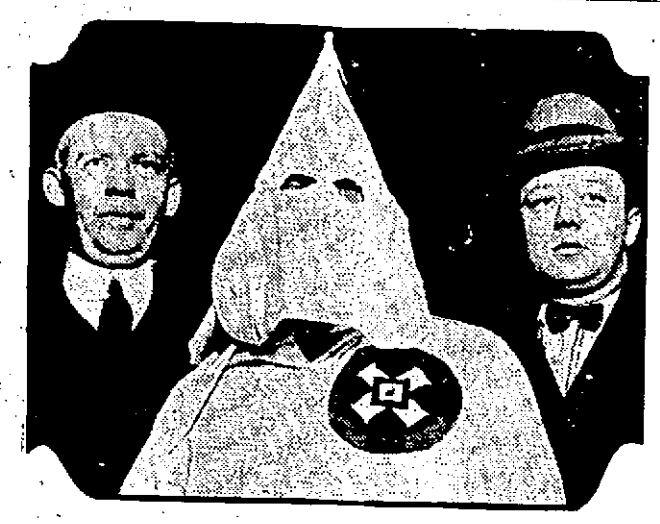

POLICE ARREST ALLEGED KLANSMEN

Eight alleged members of the Ku Klux Klan were arrested by Brooklyn (N. Y.) detectives on charges of carrying concealed weapons, driving a car without a license, being in possession of intoxicating liquor and disorderly conduct. Detectives Gilbert, shown wearing the seized regalia of the masked order, Riley (left) and Herman made the arrests.

LEGION QUARTERS AT THE AUDITORIUM

American Legion quarters in the veteran wing of the Memorial Auditorium will be ready for occupancy as club rooms when the post holds its regular meeting there next Monday night. Adequate and comfortable arrangements have been supervised by the house committee, Michael F. Harrington, chairman, and it is expected that the rooms will provide much enjoyment for the members. A phonograph of excellent style has been presented to the post by the Washington club.

At Monday night's meeting plans for the mid-winter get-together, on Lincoln's birthday anniversary will be discussed and the co-operation of every post member is needed to make the affair a success. The sale of tickets will be limited and will terminate several days before the event so as to allow the caterer to make proper arrangements.

O.M.I. CADETS

Members of the O.M.I. Cadets are requested to meet at their armory at 8 o'clock tonight to go to the "Knicker dance" at the Auditorium in a body.

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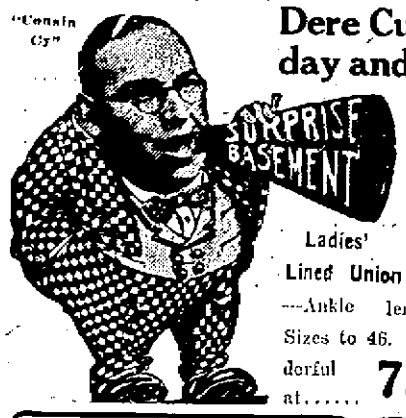
Dere Cuzins:—I hope you have all recovered from your colds—more bargains Saturday and Monday—Day by day, in every way, we get better and better.—Cousin Cy.



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New Standards for Teachers

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aids which the teaching profession of 20 years ago never knew of. The early teacher taught children to imitate and instruction was almost entirely oral. Then came a few textbooks, blackboards, better seats and better buildings, and now, moving pictures, museum exhibits, phonographs, school libraries, gymnasiums and similar devices have been invented or have been given to the teacher to assist her in her work. Intelligence tests help teachers to know more in one day about their children than they could learn in weeks before by observation. Education has become very complex, the aids which have been given to assist the teacher have come to stay, and they demand that the teacher rise to new levels and heights of effort.

"A higher grade of teacher is demanded and one with better training. Today only that teacher could be considered competent who knows her students better than they have ever been known before, and as the country boy sometimes finds it impossible to adjust himself to the complexity of city life, it may be just as impossible for teachers who attempt teaching in large city school systems to adjust themselves to the complexity of education as it stands today. Now, as Massachusetts finds her teachers today, it seems to me that we, as superintendents and committeemen, must stand together on the qualifications necessary for a teacher. Either the state should establish minimum standards or the approval of the superintendent of schools should be a prerequisite to prevent unfit persons from being appointed to our school systems.

"This should be done to keep up the high standard of teachers. As to the types of teachers, there are two. One may be compared to a day laborer, and the other to a professional man. The first works wholly for the pay envelope, and I think we can all recall teachers of that sort during our school days. The other is alert, up-and-coming, well groomed and an example for her students to follow. One way to attain the latter is by living the life of the community and not of the schoolroom entirely, to indulge in all the opportunities offered by the city and state in which she lives, in music, art and culture, even to baby welfare, in order to teach broad-minded citizenship to the pupils. Many people will come forward with the excuse that the lack of physical vitality on the part of the teachers will prevent her from taking part in these social and cultural activities. If that is so, perhaps a course of physical work could be put into the schools for the teachers.

"Teachers should be encouraged to improve themselves and by that, I mean take advantage of as many summer courses as possible, taking care to go as far as possible from their home town to get this special training. Then, in my judgment, after these efforts have been made to improve themselves, is the time for teachers to ask for larger salaries, and any broad-minded school committeeman will be glad to give it to them."

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Women's Mahogany Oxfords—All Styles and Patterns, both plain and perforated $4.50 Value. Sale Price $2.00

Men's Elk Golf Oxfords—Extra Heavy Rubber Soles made for rough wear. $5.00 Value. Sale Price... $3.50

Men's New Oxfords of Vici Kid—In all styles and patterns. Broad and narrow lasts Welt soles, rubber heels. Values to $6.00. Sale Price $3.00

Men's Heavy Double Sole Shoes—For Spring wear. All sizes. Rubber heels. A $5.00 Shoe. Sale Price $3.00

Boys' Storm Boots—Buckles, double soles, leather heels. Broken sizes from 11-6. Values to $5.50. Sale Price $3.00

The above shows only a few of the many bargains in footwear.

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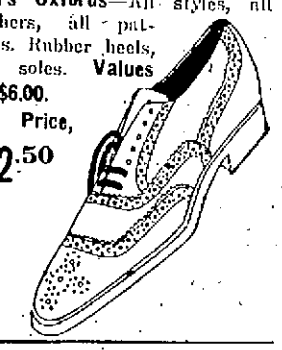

Men's Gun Metal Dress Shoes—Welt soles, English last. $4.50 value. Sale Price $2.50

$3.00

This is Groundhog Day

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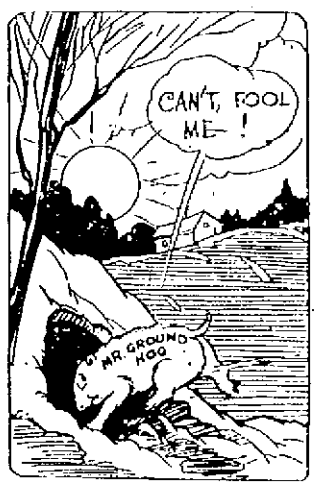
wild stampede back the way he came. And before starting that winter's snooze all over again, Mr. G. Hog tied several hard knots in that tunnel that leads down to his subterranean bungalow, for he knew there were six weeks more winter ahead and Mr. G. Hog wants no miscreants trespassing down his private highway while he snoozes.

The groundhog saw his shadow today. Take the groundhog's word for it, for he knows. Every Feb. 2 he's coming out of his winter dugout to learn about the weather. If it's sunny and he sees his shadow, as he did today, he turns right back and slides into



his parking place for six weeks longer. If the day is cloudy and he can't see his shadow, the groundhog stays out of winter quarters and prepares for the early spring buds and other agrarian foods.

Ask a farmer what a groundhog is, and he'll ask you to come again. It may be all right for folks in ten-story office buildings to call 'em groundhogs, but Hank and Eli and Ilen call 'em what they are—woodchucks.

And, blast 'em! If these boys of the farmlands can reach the back shed quick enough to get that shotgun, there won't be any woodchucks scattering shadders on groundhog day or any other day—not around our farm!

If you would know the truth, the woodchuck family is detested by every man-to-man tiller of the soil in every land in the world. This woodchuck feller is a terror among the squash vines, among the young pea vines, the cucumber vines and even down in the new yellow eye or Kentucky Wonder string bean galleys.

Woodchucks are considered the greatest pests on the old farm. They hang out in holes in the wall or down in the pastures right next to the corn field. They are great boys to run races on top of the stone walls and dodge shotgun "BB" and Remington "scatterings."

If you shoot a woodchuck on the fly, you're a town hero for "thirty" days. If you shoot two woodchucks in one day—well, you can run for town constable or even selectman and stand a fair show of getting there.

Editors of country weeklies don't ever run pictures of the groundhog or write any stories about 'em. If any rural editor ever disgraced himself by attempting to crack any jokes about Mr Groundhog, or even mentioning his regular name—woodchuck—in the rural news columns, he'd lose a lot of subscribers.

In other words, don't ever mention woodchucks in any manner at all when you converse with a man of the soil. Woodchucks are taboo now, tomorrow and always, and it won't do to speak anything but harshly of them on groundhog day.

Regrets of course follow us as we travel along life's highway. In the city, the sunshine today was a sad token of the days to come. Listen:—

Six more weeks of hard winter mean that the girls won't be able to don summer furs for forty-two days!

Imagine that, boys!

Opening page 47 in our animal history, Vol. 2, we learn that the idea of "Groundhog Day" seems to be of German origin. In Germany, however, it was the badger that foretold the weather February 2. The Yanks who went across some years ago did a lot of badger-chasing, you remember.

They believe that the weather on February 2 predicts warm or cold weather for six weeks to come dates back to the fifth century, when the festival of Candlemas was established.

Turning another page of history written by another observing gentleman, and we read:—

"On this day, in the winter of 1716 the first week of February found snow drifted 25 feet deep in some places. Cattle were buried in the snow, where they smothered or starved. Many a one-story house was entirely covered by the snow, and even the chimneys could not be seen."

Let's look up another chapter in a volume referring to weather happenings in February, 1740:—

"The Merrimack river was closed by the extreme cold. From 20 to 40 ox-teams passed down the river, using the ice as a thoroughfare daily from Amesbury to Haverhill."

Arctic overshoes were patented 65 years ago this month—not the unbuttoned, flapper kind with the moss-covered tops, but the regular galoshes.

That winds up The Sun's annual groundhog story.

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ADMIRAL SIMS HITS KLAN

Two on Platform Had Spoken at K. K. K. Meeting—Raps Curley

BOSTON, Feb. 2—"Of the various minority groups that are trying to get control of the government, the nastiest, the most pernicious and most cowardly is the Ku Klux Klan, which acts as judge, jury and executor, but with faces masked," said Admiral William S. Sims, U.S.A., retired, last evening at the Loyal Coalition's "Patriotic Meeting" in Symphony hall.

And almost at his elbow sat F. Eugene Farnsworth, president of the Coalition, and Telfair Minton, one of the most active of its members, each of whom spoke at a Ku Klux meeting in North Cambridge a few months ago.

Mr. Minton, who had called the meeting to order last evening, and Mr. Farnsworth, who was presiding and had just finished a highly laudatory introduction of the admiral, smiled rather feebly during the admiral's excoriation of the Ku Klux.

The admiral said further in regard to the Ku Klux: "Their methods permit any criminal to commit murder, for how can one tell who is a member of a klan if he has a pillow slip over his head?

"They can be suppressed by law, by making it a crime to wear a mask, or by providing an open season on all masked men and if necessary offering a bounty for their ears as was once done for the ears of wolves."

What the admiral said about the Ku Klux was received with considerable laughter by the audience.

Curley's Name Hissed

In the beginning of his talk Admiral Sims referred to Mayor Curley's refusal to attend the meeting. Mention of the mayor was received with some hissing and some groans.

"He declined to sit on this platform with a Benedict Arnold—that's me," said the admiral. "I think very few in this audience really believe that His Honor believes a word of what he said in his letter."

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HUMANE SOCIETY HAS ANNUAL MEETING

The board of directors of the Lowell Humane society held their annual meeting this afternoon at their quarters on Appleton street at three o'clock. The secretary's and the financial committee's reports were read and plans for the coming year's work discussed.

The officers of the society are as follows: President, George Stevens; secretary, Mrs. Frank E. Dunbar; treasurer, Ivan O. Small; agent, Chas. F. Richardson. The financial committee is composed of the following: Frederick P. Marble, C. H. Preston, and Ivan O. Small.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOLD OPEN HOUSE

The new Knights of Columbus home in Dutton street was thrown open to the public today and a great number of people, it is expected, will have inspected the building ere the closing hour tonight. This morning a number of visitors called but the fine weather this afternoon attracted a very large number and all were deeply impressed with the interior of the home, its appointments and its fine hall. Grand Knight Hart, Secretary Philip Breen and other officers and members were on hand to escort visitors about.

This evening there will be a dance in honor of the lady friends of the council, and those who desire may inspect the building at that time.

LOWELL Y. W. C. A. TO MEET LAWRENCE

The Lowell Y.W.C.A. basketball team will meet the Lawrence Y.W.C.A. team in a return game at Lowell tomorrow evening and will seek revenge for the defeat they suffered from that team two weeks ago. At that time Lowell was handicapped by having to use two substitute players but it is believed that the whole first team will go into the game tomorrow and the defeat of Lawrence by a large score is expected.

After the game the hall will be given over to dancing and a good orchestra will be furnished for this part of the evening's entertainment.

ENTERTAINMENT IN AUDITORIUM

Plans are progressing rapidly for the entertainment to be given in the Memorial Auditorium next Monday evening under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women. The program will include fancy dances to be given by the pupils of Miss Charlotte Green, in which 60 or 70 talented young dancers will appear; also old time songs by a special invitation to men. No admission will be charged.

FINED AND SENTENCED IN LIQUOR CASE

Donabed Harzigian, who keeps a store in Central street, was found guilty of illegal keeping in the district court this morning and ordered to pay a fine of $150 and be committed to the house of correction for a term of three months. He appealed and was released in bonds of $300 for his appearance in the superior court next Monday.

RADIO SET AT HIGH SCHOOL—PERHAPS

Considerable interest has been noted among the faculty and students of the high school in regard to the installation of a sending and receiving radio set at that building since the contents of a letter written to the high school commission by John A. Stevens in regard to such an installation has become known to them. Many of the students and faculty are radio fans, and to them there is nothing more interesting than a wireless telephone set, so that any plans regarding such would be very well received by them. So far as is known the high school commission has not considered this question seriously.

KNIGHTS SET DATE FOR ANNUAL BANQUET

At the annual banquet of Bishop Delany Assembly, Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus, on the evening of Feb. 12, the principal speaker will be Edmund J. Brandon, state secretary of the order, and a speaker of wide repute. Faithful Navigator Arthur J. O'Neill has appointed a live committee to arrange for the affair, which will be held in the assembly hall of the new building. Bishop Delany Assembly numbers about 400 members and it is hoped that all will be present on the evening of the 12th. The sale of tickets will close on Feb. 9.

ATHLETIC FIELD FUND GROWING

Contributions to the Lowell high school athletic field fund keep coming in to the treasurer, Edward W. Trull, whose latest report is as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$12,776.21
Mrs. Cora Sherman Bamlett	5.00
Mrs. Bessie R. Higgins	5.00
Adam Beatty	3.00
Thomas F. Hobson	5.00
F. B. Robinson	10.00
Freeman M. Hill	25.00
Total to Feb. 2, inclusive	$12,829.21

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TWO PRETTY TOBOGGANISTS

Photo by Donaldson

MERRY MAIDS WITH SKIS

Mid-Winter Carnival

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last night's rain. Both should be in excellent condition tonight.

Members of the Girls' City club, clad in sport costumes, preferably knickers, will leave their rooms at 7 o'clock tonight for the carnival ground. In parade formation they will march to Fort Hill, lighting their own way with torches, dash lights, lanterns and snow sparklers, horns and whistles will announce their progress and on arrival at the park the girls will enter all races and stunts.

Mayor John J. Donovan officially opened the carnival at 2.30 o'clock yesterday when he started the first toboggan-load of young people down one of the long chutes. It carried George H. Wood, Paul Doherty, Miss Irene Matthews and Miss Hernice Moody of the Ad club committee and Harry Glasheen, secretary to the mayor, and as they shot down to the Rogers street level the carnival was on and in full swing.

All afternoon the toboggan slides were taxed to the utmost, with five and seven-passenger toboggans predominating. Rogers Hall school girls, in most approved winter sport costumes presented a colorful picture and won the distance prizes, while scores of others, old and young, add gaiety to the scene. It was a zestful, peppy crowd that entered fully into the spirit of the carnival and by their hearty participation made it such an unqualified success.

SKI JUMPER IN ACTION

The snow was too soft to allow for competitive ski jumping, but a number of youngsters could not resist the lure of the sport and raced down the slide time after time.

In addition to the toboggan events there were snowball battles, "dog team" races and a motorcycle hill climb in the afternoon.

The hill climb contest resulted as follows: First, Al Woods, 8 3-5 seconds; second, J. Lessard, 9 1-5 seconds.

Schools participating in the "dog team" races were the Varnum, Morey, Bartlett, Edson and Butler and were won by the Butler and Edson boys.

Only one of the events scheduled for last evening was carried out—the football game between the Butlers and O. M. I. Cadets. The snow was too soft and heavy to allow for much of a contest, however, and after a few minutes of fun the game was called off and declared a draw. Spectators mingled with the players to such an extent that it was impossible to identify the participants, although while it lasted it was a worth-while novelty.

The bonfire on the hill top hardly had been lighted when it began to rain. This sent thousands scurrying homewards, although there were those who stuck it out until thoroughly soaked.

Snappy music played by Giblin's military band put zest into the afternoon program and silver and gold balloons, given away by the Willis market, added a happy touch to the carnival.

At the knicker dance tonight, to which the general public is invited, a Carnival king and queen will be selected and crowned. Ad club members will lead a grand march of those in sport costumes at about 10 o'clock and the style show committee, headed by Paul Doherty, will choose a king and queen from the participants. All who attend the dance are asked to wear knicker costumes, although no one will be out of place without them. Prizes for the winners of the sporting events will be distributed at the dance and the committee in charge has a number of novel surprises in store that will make the event a fitting climax to the two-day carnival.

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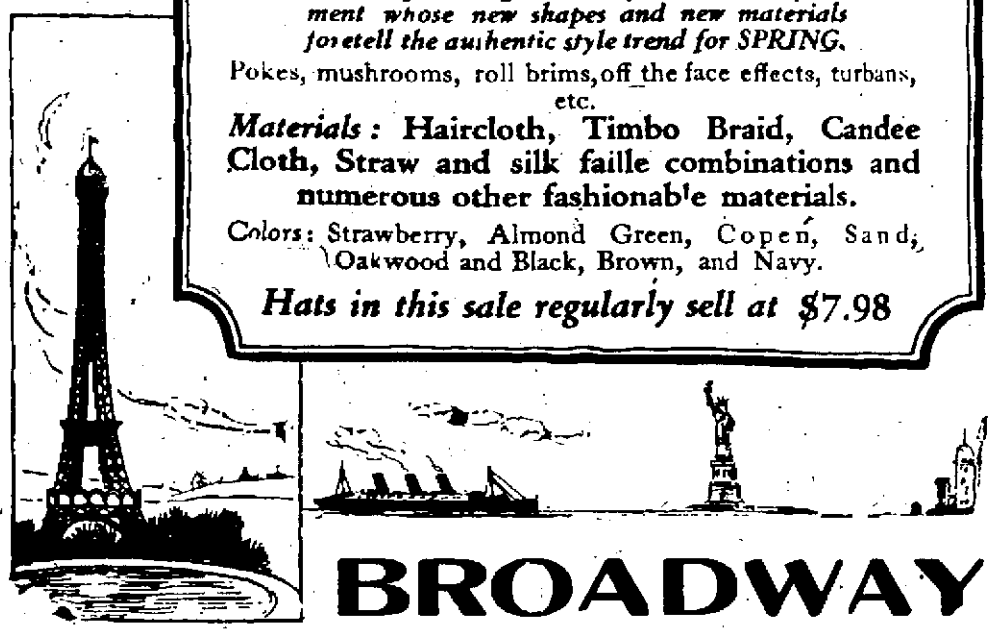

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Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Will Observe 60th Wedding Anniversary Tomorrow

Sixty years happily married, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill Nelson, born of English parentage but for many years sturdy American citizens who have raised a splendid family of children will tomorrow quietly celebrate at their little home, 15 Madison street, off Gorham, the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage.

There will be no formal celebration of an impressive nature and no public reception for the anniversary day. Children of the happy Lowell man and his devoted wife will return to the family fireside from many points of the compass, to bring congratulations and good wishes and receive filial blessings.

Neighbors will drop in during the day or evening, there will be gifts for the venerable couple who have lived so many years in affectionate happiness and genuine contentment, and friends from old England who remember the anniversary will not forget to send along reminders of old homestead scenes in historic Lancashire, where Thomas Nelson was born, grew up and won his bride.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS H. NELSON

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are today in good health although the husband is somewhat disabled from an old injury received some twenty years ago when he met with an accident in the old textile school then located on Middlesex street. The contented couple, nevertheless, always look on the bright side of things.

They reared a large family of children, all of whom are engaged in useful industry either at home or in the marts of trade. Sturdy, well educated sons are making names for themselves by their sobriety, their energy and their self-made progress in many lines of American business, including the textiles.

This family has a decidedly interesting history. Thomas Nelson was the son of Charles and Elizabeth Nelson, living in Preston, Lancashire, England. He was born June 12, 1839, and will be 84 years old this year. He married Miss Ann Leigh Walmsley February 3, 1863, and eight children were born of the union, six of them living as follows: John Charles Nelson, of Valley Forge, R. I.; Elizabeth E. N. Caswell, of Seattle, Wash.; William Nelson, of New York; Thomas Nelson, of Raleigh, N. C.; Edward Nelson, of Newton, Mass.; Ernest Nelson, of Selma, Ala.

William Nelson is a noted designer in a New York textile commission house; Thomas of Raleigh is now employed as director of textile studies in the North Carolina State college; Edward is an overseer in the textile department of the Chase mills in Newton, and Ernest is manager of a large textile mill in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson came to America from England in 1896, first settling in Taftville, Conn. In 1898 they came to Lowell, where the family has resided since.

The Nelsons celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary ten years ago in Lowell. At that time they lived in Beech street. They moved to Madison street about a year ago.

Mr. Nelson probably has the longest name of any man living in Lowell. His full name, given to The Sun today, is as follows: "Thomas Hill Joseph Napoleon Horatio Bonaparte Swindlehurst Nelson."

Mr. Nelson would prefer to have you write it just plain "Thomas Hill Nelson."

Mr. Nelson first entered a textile mill in England at the age of 7½ years, but could only work half a day, as the English law compelled mill workers of the child labor class to attend some school at least half a day every work day.

The little youngster who entered the English cotton mills remembers that his first week's wage, paid him on Christmas day, was "one and thruppence," or exactly 26 cents in American money, for a week's work on the half-day schedule. The money did not go very far in those days, but little Thomas, not yet 8 eight years, thought he had made a fortune pretty easily.

Thomas joined the English temperance band when he became seven years of age and so far as he knows, is still a member of the Lancashire roll of honor, where his name is high in the list of the "charter roll."

The Nelsons have been members of and attendants at the First Congregational church in this city, ever since they came to Lowell.

Mr. Nelson is a member of one of the oldest fraternal organizations in the world, the "Ancient Order of Foresters," said to have been instituted "from time immemorial." The membership scroll with Mr. Nelson's name inscribed, still hangs on the wall of the Nelson parlor. It has no connection with the American Order of Foresters, he says.

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Taxicab Driver and Passengers Save Lives

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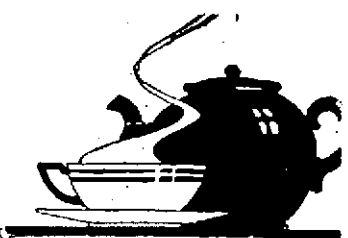
seen the blaze. It was then about 1.45 o'clock and they hurried to the scene of the fire. On the piazza they found pieces of orange cases saturated with kerosene. The kerosene had also been thrown on and around the door and a mat on the piazza was saturated with it. They immediately gave the alarm and succeeded in arousing Mr. McManmon. An emergency bucket brigade was formed and the fire was soon under control.

A little way down the road from the house, Mr. Sullivan and his passengers saw a car stopped, and two men, standing on either side of the car, were looking in the direction of the house. The two men immediately jumped into their car, but Mr. Sullivan succeeded in passing them and kept them in the rear until the square was reached. In the meantime one of his passengers had taken the number of the car, the occupants of which were naturally under suspicion, though an investigation now underway by the police may prove them entirely innocent.

Upon reaching the square Mr. Sullivan notified an officer, but before the situation was plainly made known to him the car with the suspects had succeeded in passing the taxi and hurried into East Merrimack street. Mr. Sullivan then gave the number of the car to the police.

Mr. McManmon is naturally very much astounded over the affair, but he thanks God that he and his family were saved by the accidental arrival of Mr. Sullivan and his passengers. The miserable attempt on life and property came as a great shock of course, to all members of the McManmon family.

"I never knowingly injured any man," said Mr. McManmon to The Sun, today, "and the horrible thing is a great shock to myself and family. I did not know I had an enemy in the world, and certainly not one so malicious as to attempt to take my life and the lives of my family. Chief Saunders of the fire department visited the premises today and he will call in the state inspectors. The most fortunate thing that ever happened to me and mine was the arrival of the taxi driver and his passengers just in the nick of time. The fire could not have been going very long, but in a short while—well I hate to think of what would undoubtedly have happened."



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The cause of the fire is not known. Last night there was a basketball game in one of the halls in the town building, and it is thought possible that either the furnace became overheated or a lighted cigar or cigaret might have started the blaze.

Help was called from Concord, White River Junction, Vt., and West Lebanon when the high wind carrying fire brands a half mile threatened to cause a spread of the flames throughout the business district, but the fire was brought under control before the Concord apparatus arrived.

TEXTILE SCHOOL STUDENTS RESTING

The students at the Textile school have just completed their mid-year examinations and are now enjoying a short rest between terms. The second semester will begin next Monday morning with a total registration of 256 which is practically the same number as attended the first semester.

The fraternities at the school are lining up new candidates from the freshman classes and the lucky members will soon be initiated into the mysteries of fraternity life.

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PAY OF CITY LABORERS

Public Service Board Hears Committee From Ash and Waste Department

That the pay of all city laborers should be stabilized, was the opinion expressed by the members of the Lowell board of public service at a meeting in the engineer's office in city hall yesterday afternoon. The board decided to take under advisement the request of a committee from the ash and waste collection department, that the employes of that department be granted an increase in wages from the present rate of $4.76 per day to $5.20 per day.

The committee which waited on the board comprised Murtagh Lyons, John Murray, Coleman O'Loughlin, Joseph McQuarrie, Patrick Hunt, Dana Paquette and Frank O'Rourke. Through their chairman, Mr. Lyons, they told the board that Mayor Donovan had promised to do everything in his power to have the increase granted if only the board of public service would recommend it. It was also explained that the men in this department work from 6.30 in the morning until late at night; that they have to care for horses, rain or shine, and that the only days they have off in the year are the Fourth of July and Christmas.

The men explained that they wished to be placed on an equal footing with other city employes, starting to work at 7.30 o'clock in the morning and finishing at 4.30 in the afternoon. The present scale of wages for the ash, water and street departments is as follows:

Ash department—Teamsters, $4.75 a day; pitchers, $4.50 a day.

Water department, $4.50 a day.

Street department—$5.20 a day for laborers, and $4.88 a day for sparrowmen.

After the committee had stated its case, each of the members of the board expressed, individually, his favorable opinion on the matter, but definite action was deferred to a later meeting.

Yesterday's meeting opened with the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by City Engineer Stephen Kearney. Under the head of routine business, the following communication from the mayor relating to weekly payrolls, was read by Chairman Murphy:

"I am in receipt of a request from the civil service commission that all payrolls in your department, including the water department, be submitted to the commission's office weekly instead of every three or four weeks as is now in practice. The commission explains that this will aid it greatly in checking payrolls. In view of our recent friendly relations with the commission, I believe this request should be granted and I trust that you will take up the matter immediately."

The chairman replied that the matter had been complied with.

Abel R. Campbell, representing the Highland Realty Co., petitioned the board for an extension of city water to Ruth street where his company had erected six or seven new houses. He said that the houses would probably be ready for occupancy in five weeks and he asked that the water extension be installed by that time. The board agreed to grant the request.

John Marcopoulos petitioned for a pole location in Adams street, and it was granted.

Reports from the inspector of wires on new pole locations and wire attachments were accepted, while a large number of street department bills which have been held over since 1922 were approved.

A second communication from the mayor was read and placed on file. It concerned city-owned machines and contained the warning that department heads refrain from using them after hours.

Supt. Harry Doherty was instructed to make an inventory of the shovels bought by the department in 1922-23 and report at the next meeting. Adjourned 5.35.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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DISTRICT COURT BUILDING

The local Bar Association has taken up the matter of agitating for the erection by the county commission of a suitable building for the local district court. Of the urgent need of such a building there can be no question whatsoever. The conditions in the Market street building have become almost intolerable, and there is no immediate relief in sight.

It has been proposed that quarters might be found at the Gorham street courthouse, but investigation shows that there is no available space in that building that could be permanently devoted to the use of the district court. Indeed the Gorham street building is occupied almost to capacity most of the time. The probate court, the superior court, the civil and criminal sessions, and the divorce court, all hold their regular sessions in the Gorham street building. In addition there are various hearings conducted by masters and occasional sessions of the supreme judicial court so that the main courtrooms of the building are occupied the greater part of the time. There is absolutely no opportunity for suitable accommodations for the district court, which, as a rule, is held daily except on Sundays and holidays.

Cambridge has a fine district court building and so has the city of Malden, yet perhaps neither city needed such a building quite so much as does Lowell at the present time. Commissioner Barlow has made the statement that a district court building cannot be provided at the present time. Undoubtedly, the commission has no surplus funds to devote to any such purpose; but it is reasonable to assume that at least the urgent needs of the courts shall be provided for in suitable buildings. At the present time, the county leases the Market street building from the city of Lowell at a rental of $2900 per annum. That amount would justify an investment in a county building that would furnish adequate accommodations for the court and be an ornament to the city and at the same time a credit to the county.

If the necessities of the case are thoroughly studied, we venture to say that the commissioners will eventually be forced to the conclusion, that sound public policy demands the erection of a district court building for Lowell. The progress of the times favors such a step, and if the dignity of the court and due respect for the law are to be maintained in Lowell, it is incumbent upon the county to provide suitable quarters for the administration of justice in a new and up-to-date district court building.

OUR DEAD OVERSEAS

American cemeteries overseas are models for other nations that were in the war, we are told. More than 30,000 of the nation's heroic dead lie in eight burial places. The graves are receiving the kindliest care always.

The American cemetery at Romagne is said to be one of the most impressive of all, but the American government has done all in its power to make the burial places solemnly beautiful. Six are in France, one in Belgium and the other in England. Most of the French plots were selected to commemorate the battles fought in the vicinities.

The cemetery at Romagne represents the Argonne fighting, the one at Thiacourt the battle of St. Mihiel. There is one at Belleau Wood, significant of the action there; one at Nesles, about 25 miles north of Chateau-Thierry; one at Suresnes, near Paris, and one at Bony, in which are the dead of the Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth divisions, which fought with the English.

The Flanders Field cemetery in southern Belgium contains the bodies of 365 Americans who fought with the English in Belgium. The eighth of the cemeteries is in Brookwood, England, containing the bodies of 435 Americans who died in the British Isles.

And so they sleep—their graves tended by loving men and women—heroes all, with countless friends to keep their memory green. Americans do not forget—the cemeteries across the sea will always remain solemnly beautiful, for the valiant lives these men gave were given freely and heroically in an honorable cause and not in vain.

THE RISE OF AN AMERICAN

Fred Moore Woolworth, American business man, recently died in London after a short illness. He was the London director of the chain store organization subsidiary to the Woolworth store organization in the United States.

The name of Woolworth is widely known today, but 35 years ago the name was not familiar to many. The man who has just passed away in England was born in Portland, Me., a rather poor boy, but a wideawake youngster. He acquired the management of the Woolworth store in Portland, married and branched out with the other Woolworths.

The history of this chain store system is well known. Lowell has some of the "links." The Woolworths acquired a fortune, as everybody knows. It simply shows what a good American who knows how to work, how to use his brain and keep on working, can do even with a poor start. The success of the Woolworth stores shows what sort of men were back of the institution that has become one of the most prosperous merchandising organizations in the world.

THE 1923 CUSTOMS INCREASE

Chief E. W. Camp of the customs division, United States treasury department, has again revised his estimate of the revenues that will accrue to the government under the Fordney-McCumber tariff act, and now places the year's prospective income from this source at $480,000,000.

This is an advance on Mr. Camp's December estimate of $30,000,000 and additional confirmation of the assertions repeatedly made by the authors of the bill and their supporters, that higher rates would not affect the reduction of revenue. However, predictions are easy to make at this time. The tariff act has not yet had time to get in its real work. It will take a good many months more to tabulate actual receipts and check them up in detail before we brag too much about the collections from the new tariff schedules.

To date, there has been nothing really consistent to boast about. The customs receipts have not yet kept step with the rising tide of prosperity in the U.S.A. The future returns cannot be predicted at this time, for our foreign commerce is by no means world-beating in volume and conditions abroad are so unsettled that predictions too far ahead would be useless.

MR. MELLON'S ATTITUDE

Secretary Mellon has sent a letter to Chairman McCumber of the senate finance committee, expressing his absolute opposition to the Bursum bill that would establish a billion-dollar credit for the German government to buy foodstuffs in the United States.

Mr. Mellon has ample reasons for taking the attitude he does, and we admire his firmness and reasons. He declares that it was in contravention of the treasury department's policy "that foreign governments desiring to find finance in the United States should appeal to the investing public and not seek government aid." Mr. Mellon says he knows of no reason for taking any more favorable action with respect to the German government than toward foreign governments associated with us in the late war. Moreover, the United States treasury has no funds available now for loans to foreign governments.

What more need be said? The Sun has already denounced this proposition as ridiculous. Why should we treat Germany better than England or France?

CANNED FOODS SAFE

Sir William Willcox, one of the great authorities on poisons, has just declared that tinned foods are just as safe as fresh foods, if not safer. To support his contention he recently pointed out in a speech to the evidence presented by the "greatest experiment in history"—the feeding during the last war of many millions of troops for years on canned foods.

There were only four cases of food poisoning during that war, he said, three of these being in France and one at Port Said. Nowadays the composition of metal used in tin cans is such that the danger of metallic poison is almost nil. Any idea of food poisoning being due to ptomaines also could be dismissed, the eminent authority says. This form of poisoning is often confused with bacterial contamination of fresh foods, usually by living carriers of disease who handle the food.

The large attendance at the winter carnival at Fort Hill park yesterday indicated the popularity of the idea. The temperature was rather high for such sports so that the snow became rather soft for skiing and tobogganing. The fact remains, however, that a beginning has been made in the direction of winter carnivals that will attract people from every part of the city and from towns and cities within a radius of twenty miles. It is a popular idea and if properly developed next season, it will bring increased business and prestige to Lowell.

For a time we cease to contemplate the great export of coal to Canada and fix our minds upon the export of coal from Lowell to Lawrence. We have no desire to see Lawrence freeze, but in such cases the old maxim as to where charity should begin is still pertinent.

The policy of economy precludes the employment of an instructor in boxing and wrestling at the high school gymnasium. If the craze for specialists goes much farther, the students will have no time to devote to their regular studies.

Some city officials seem to think that their political fortunes depend upon their adherence to the fixed policy of boosting salaries and department appropriations. In the last municipal election a few exponents of this policy were emphatically fired.

The estimates must be slashed, but not with a view to securing supplementary budgets toward the close of the year.

Don't blame the street cars for delays caused by motor vehicles stalled on the car tracks and in no hurry to move.

In public affairs such as the carnival, the unruly element must be taught to behave.

Mind your step; the streets are slippery again and the sandmen are still missing.

Some of the big trucks have hogged the road even where the only space open was the car track.

We have been fortunate in not having any very serious fire since the deep snow piled the streets.

Anyhow, despite rain and every other obstacle, the annual Winter Carnival of Lowell has been launched.

SEEN AND HEARD

You never hear about a man cussing a cop again.

The world owes you a living but you must show it what for.

An actress is suing for divorce and custody of the reputation.

Loafing is hard work. Very few people have made a success of it.

A Thought

Here's freedom to them that would read!
Here's freedom to them that would write!
There's none ever feared
That the truth should be heard
Save them that the truth would indict.
—Robert Burns

Very Clever Thought

The farmer scowled. "Those dandelions," he said, "they are a perfect pest. They are running over the good country. I wish we knew how to get rid of them." The expert thought for an instant, then he said, "I have it! We'll post up bills giving the recipe for dandelion wine."

Made Poor Start

A lawyer decided to turn over part of his practice to his son. Shortly afterward the young man, beaming with pleasure, entered the office and said: "Father, I've settled that Johnson case we've been about so many years." "Settled it!" was the astonished reply. "Why, my dear boy, I gave you that case as an annuity."

Terrible Finish

At last the young actor had received a speaking part. It consisted of four words, "Hark, a pistol shot!" However, at the last moment stage fright got the upper hand, and rushing on the stage, he yelled: "Hark, a shistol pot! Nunno, a postol shoot." Then desperately, he shouted: "Confound it all, did you hear that bang?"

Very Brave Marshal

It was generally conceded that the presence of Napoleon on a battlefield was worth 40,000 men. Tradition has handed this down to us, and history has accepted it. "Nevertheless," old Marshal Cheeseitz used to say, "put him on the field with one aid or, not to be captious about it, let him have two. Then give me 40,000 men. I'll undertake to hold my own against him."

Still Running

A doe, lost in Willimantic, Conn., was chased by a dog into the Y.M.C.A. building. It broke the thick glass in the door and bounded into the vestibule, overturning furniture and scaring a visiting minister. It bounded upstairs and into the directors' room, from which it leaped through a window to the yard 10 feet below. It then crossed the railroad tracks, and after swimming the Willimantic river, disappeared.

King Was Indignant

A lurid melodrama was being given in an English town and one of the characters, a king, was haranguing his son. "Come," said the king, "let us go into the 'ouse." "Did you hear that?" said a man in the stalls to his companion. "He said 'ouse." Overhearing the remark and fixing the interpreter with his eye, the king advanced to the footlights and exclaimed: "Yus, I said 'ouse. Do you fink as how a king would live in apartments."

Know the Line?

The young man who had an idea he was indispensable to his employer—but who was literally clinging to his job by the "skin of his teeth"—emerged from the chief's office wearing a puzzled look. "Well, did you tell the old man where to get off if he didn't give you a raise?" asked one of the boys. "Sure! I told him if I didn't get a raise I'd leave him in the lurch." "Yeah?" "And he says: 'I haven't got time to sing it, but you'll find the firm's answer in the second line of 'Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here!' "

Bobby Remembered

Blinks, after inviting his friend Jinks to dinner, was telling him about the remarkable memory of his little son Bobby. "And do you think he will remember me?" asked Jinks. "Remember you? Why, certainly he will." An hour later they entered the house, and after Jinks has greeted Mrs. Blinks, he called Bobby over to him. "And do you remember me, my little man?" "'Course I do. You're the man that pa brought home last year, and ma was so wild about it that she didn't speak to pa for a week."

Conscience

I do my best, day after day,
My duties to perform,
Pursuing a calm, even way,
Heedless of stress or storm;
But one thing troubles me at night,
I will confess to you,
The many things I have not done
The things I meant to do.

The things I've done are soon forgot;
The others stay in mind,
Both tasks I took upon myself,
And those to me assigned.
The thought of them keps me awake,
When sleep I try to woo,
The many things I have not done,
The things I ought to do!

—Somerville Journal.

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Miss Flore Doucette, secretary of the Women's civic committee and promoter of the French-American Educational society is being highly complimented for the interest she is displaying in the welfare of the young women of this city. Miss Doucette, who is a highly educated woman is very much interested in education and she is devoting all her spare time to promoting the organization which has for its aim the education of worthy young women, who are unable to finance their way through college. In her work she is being ably assisted by a corps of young women, who plan socials and entertainments during the winter season, the proceeds of these events to be devoted to the society's fund. All French-speaking women of the city are eligible to membership in the society by paying an annual fee of one dollar.

Some people purchase books and preserve them even though they never read a line of their contents, but others, and a great many of them, buy books with a determination to broaden their knowledge, but in time these volumes are piled up in dusty corners or even in attics. I have seen valuable books, the pages of which were used for testing the heat of a flat-iron, and books of poems utilized as scrap books for cooking recipes. Thick dictionaries and volumes of encyclopedias are often used on chairs, some by typists and others by families entertaining children at dinner. I have seen doctors' books, the larger ones, used as door stops, and geographies have proved very handy in holding up windows with broken cords. Some people use books for the filing away of marriage certificates and other precious documents; a good way of losing them, if the person so hiding them should pass away suddenly. Verily the author of a book never knows what is going to happen to his volume after it gets into the hands of the public.

SALE OF TICKETS FOR HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

The tickets for the Lowell high school play, "Only 38," to be presented at the Cyrus W. Irish Auditorium on next Thursday and Friday evenings, will go on sale at the office of the Lowell high school Monday morning next. The scale of prices for this year's production are 25c, 50c and 75c. Telephone orders will be taken by calling 1250. Miss Mary C. Joyce, teacher of elocution in the high school, expects big things from her cast in this year's play. "Only 38" is one of those rare plays that pulls at the heart strings while you laugh. It is a very human play based on the "mother" theme; a college atmosphere with song and yells is noticeable throughout. The lines are exceptionally good and the entire play has plenty of good laugh lines and situations. The production is to be elaborately staged, the staging of all of Miss Joyce's high school productions always a feature in itself. For the past three or four weeks the stage of the high school auditorium has resembled a New York Scenic studio. Men have been busily engaged in building the sets and the many stage appliances for the production, while a scenic artist has been working at top speed painting the scenery, etc. A real treat is in store for those who attend either of the performances when they set their eyes on the beautiful sets of scenery that have been built and painted for this year's production. This scenery can be used for a good many years to come and is a valuable asset to the high school. The cast is all "keyed up" to put over the show and the production itself gives the individual members ofw the cast plenty of opportunity cor splendid character portrayals and acting. Tickets for the show are expected to go fast and the public is advised to call at the office of the high school or telephone for reservations at once.

MIXED FOURSOME

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—A mixed foursome with Gene Sarazen national open and professional golf champion and Miss Marion Hollins, national woman's champion in 1921, representing New York and Jock Hutchinson, formerly British open champion, and Mrs. F. M. Leets, Jr., representing Chicago, was to be played at the Los Angeles Country club today if favorable weather prevailed.

V. V.'S TROUBLE

Mme. Liouboff Mouromsky Vonsiatsky (above) has arrived in New York ready to seek heart balm because Anastase Vonsiatskoy-Vonsiatsky (above), whom she claims as husband, married the wealthy Mrs. Marion Ream Stephens of Philadelphia.

Tom Sims Says

The real reason we don't want another war is so few people enjoyed our last one.

Hope the spring poets see their shadow and go back for six weeks.

France wanted to pay the German miners in marks. No wonder they quit.

The man who thought up clocks for socks is still at large.

Who says autoists are not considerate of pedestrians? Dealers say they are demanding lighter cars.

Sad part about not having a wife is you can't blame things on her.

The mints are making more nickels and dimes in spite of the greater demand for quarters and halves.

In Maine, 53 inches of snow fell in one month. This never happened when the democrats were in office.

Most of our troops are withdrawn from everywhere, even America.

Wouldn't it be possible to make some of these safety razor guards so they will fit on collars?

Statistics show three-fourths of our accidents unnecessary. We can't imagine a necessary accident.

The modern parent promises his son an auto if he doesn't smoke or drink until he is 12 years old.

Willard, ex-pugilist, says all he wants is a chance to come back. He should become a collector.

Tennessee educator proposes school last the year round. Other war news is on our first page.

A war vet tells us he has been gassed twice, once by congress.

Hunt the brighter side. Aren't you glad our shortest month comes in winter instead of spring?

Georgetown (Del.) boy stole to go to Florida. These bathing girl pictures should be censored.

We certainly would hate to be vice president. He lives in a hotel.

Forty per cent of the St. Louis children never have seen a sheep, which makes them feel sheepish.

Only Complete New System Will Fill City's Needs

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elimination of certain superfluous equipment.

Mr. Church has thoroughly gone into the matter with John S. Caldwell, chief engineer of the New England Insurance exchange, who states he will be unwilling to make any suggestion which in any way would minimize the effectiveness and efficiency of the system as laid out by the Gamewell engineers.

Mr. Church also has been assured by Mr. Caldwell that there is no possible way of so modernizing the present automatic system as to make it adequate or reliable, as it has outgrown its usefulness, being designed for a community not in excess of 15,00 inhabitants.

Mr. Church's letter to Mr. Wells is illuminating in many ways and as agitation for a new system is rife at present and the entire matter is of widespread interest, it is reproduced herewith:

February 1, 1923.

Mr. George F. Wells, Secretary, Lowell Chamber of Commerce, Lowell.

Dear Mr. Wells:

Since requested by you through action of the directors of the chamber of commerce I have gone into the matter of checking up the cost of installing a new fire alarm system in the city of Lowell, and find that such procedure would be practicable, though we are without other recourse than to secure other equipment than the Gamewell fire alarm system.

Mr. John S. Caldwell, chief engineer of the New England insurance exchange informed me that such check-ups have been made by his organizations in previous instances, but the reductions have been only to the extent of suggesting that certain superfluous equipment included in the contract be eliminated. The basic contract has in no instance been changed, and Mr. Caldwell stated that he would be unwilling to make any suggestion which in any way would minimize the effectiveness and efficiency of the system as laid out by the Gamewell engineers.

If desired after the contract has been awarded, Mr. Caldwell will be only too glad to go over the specifications and in such instances as he deems advisable, made reductions in the equipment.

Though it is felt that the cost of this installation is perhaps high, it must be remembered that the concern installing same does not lose interest in the system at the completion of their work, but at all times in the future they will be at the service of the city, and act very efficiently and quickly in case of emergency of any kind.

It has been intimated that the installation of an entire new fire alarm system is in excess of the requirements of the underwriters. This is not true, for you will note under the report of the national board of fire underwriters for 1922, under recommendations, that No. 24 reads as follows:

"That the system be changed to a manually operated system providing for at least 20 box, four primary and four secondary circuits, etc."

At the present time we have an automatic system and Mr. Caldwell assures me that there is no way of so modernizing our present system as to make it adequate, as it has outgrown its usefulness, being designed for a community of not in excess of 15,000 inhabitants. Therefore, you can readily perceive that the necessity of a new fire alarm system is very essential, and I believe the failure of the present system has been only too clearly demonstrated to the public.

If you desire any further action on my part, I shall be pleased to lend whatever aid I may and feel certain that Mr. Caldwell will at all times be at our service.

Yours very truly,
FRED C. CHURCH & CO.
Per Frederick C. Church, Jr., Chairman of Committee on Fire Prevention.

CHARLIE ROBERTSON IS A "HOLD OUT"

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Charles Robertson, Chicago American league club pitcher, who in his first season in fast company, last year, hurled a no-hit-no-run game, today verified reports he is a holdout, but denied rumors that he intended to jump to semi-professional baseball.

Robertson said the contract tendered him provided for an increase of $100 over his last year's salary, and that he had turned it back with a request that another cipher be added to the raise.

Berton Braley's Daily Poem

GO ON

Keep on a little longer,
Though the game seems gone,
It makes your spirit stronger
If you just keep on;
What if you're sick and stale, you're
Not all gone, I guess,
Keep on, it's thus that failure
Often brings success.

Keep on a little longer,
Why should you admit
That anybody's stronger
Than yourself—and quit?
Although your pep's diminished,
Why, the wise guy knows,
The game is never finished
Till the whistle blows.

When ev'ry bone and sinew
Seem to fail you, flat,
There's Something Else that's in you
Which is more than that;
There's a spirit that is stronger,
With a vigor strange,
Keep on a little longer,
And the luck may change!

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"SHIMMY QUEEN" GETS DIVORCE

Gilda Gray, shown here, known as the "shimmy queen" of a New York musical review, was granted a divorce in Milwaukee when she testified she received $1000 a week when playing, but only $1 a week from her hubby, John Corecki, when living with him.

INTERESTING ADDRESS

Social Service League Secretary Addresses Parent-Teacher Association

Caring for little children and the growth of the work of social service organizations in various parts of the country, were explained by Miss Alice Bell, secretary of the Lowell Social Service league before the members of the Bartlett Training School Parent-Teacher association yesterday. Folk dancing and dramatizations given by small groups of children, preceded the lecture.

Those taking part in the dances included Elizabeth Mulry, Nellie Edwards, Mary Rogers, Barbara Callahan, Gladys Scott, Arthur Brooks, John Hayes, Edward Johnson, Earle Dickinson and Thomas Lee. The dramatizations were furnished by Helen Normandy, Rosa Lemire, William Giblin, Dominick Monohan, Helen Anastakos, Madeline Dirubbo, Anna Darragh, Avis Jones, Dorothy Codure, Isabelle Coderre, Dina de la Parra, Edward Darragh, John Lear and Lloyd McLeod.

Miss Sara Ames presided over the meeting. Light refreshments were served by girl pupils of the school attired attractively in white aprons and caps. Mrs. Harvey Lafleur directed the hospitality committee.

Miss Bell's address was of great interest. She said the work of the social service worker compares with that of a school teacher in many ways. Reference was made to the excellent work of the Lowell Guild, an institution that teaches the mother to care for herself and later for her child.

The speaker said social workers must not be regarded as reformers. Their work is merely asking for co-operation. The nurse, for instance, does not tell mothers what to do, but help home conditions.

"Health standards of families must be brought out first. We must also know what the capacity of the father or mother is for supporting the family. Proper recreation must be provided for children either in schools, clubs, classes or churches." Social service, the speaker said in closing, stands for preventive work and seeks to make children and grown-ups able to care for themselves.

THE LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL YEAR BOOK

A meeting of the senior class of the high school was held yesterday afternoon to decide whether or not a year book would be published this year. The members appeared to be enthused with the idea but before any definite steps are taken slips will be given to all members so that their individual opinions may be recorded as to whether they are willing to support such a scheme or not.

Years ago, when fraternities flourished among the students of the school the Phi Annual was published. Since the fraternities have been barred in public schools, there has been no year book, and it is believed that a class book would be of interest to all the graduating class.

If the students promise their support, a leather-bound book containing biographical sketches and pictures of each member of the class, and pictures of the various athletic teams would be published and would be well worth keeping as a reminder of friends and classmates.

NEW PRESIDENT

Dr. Alfonso Quinones Molina will be inaugurated March 1 as president of San Salvador, one of the most prosperous of Latin-American nations.

HORSE DRAWN VEHICLES

Bill Before Legislature Would Require Names of Owners on Vehicles

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 2—Lovers of horses are predicting a favorable report from the committee on highways and motor vehicles on the bill requiring owners of horse-drawn vehicles used for commercial purposes to have their names on the vehicles.

It is claimed by the animal protectors that many horses are ill-treated, many made to work without shoes and the owners escape punishment because people observing the horses have no way of finding out who is responsible.

The bill reads: "Section 1. Every horse-drawn vehicle while in use for commercial purposes on any highway in the commonwealth, excluding vehicles in the nature of farm or road machinery, and excluding vehicles used for the transportation of hay or grain raised by the owner or user of the vehicle, shall have plainly and conspicuously marked on both sides thereof, in letters not less than one and one-half inches high, the name of the owner of said vehicle.

"Section 2. Violation of the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than three nor more than one hundred dollars."

HOYT.

COLIN O'MORE AT THE AUDITORIUM

It is a far cry from old Ireland to the local Auditorium but a breath of old Ireland will be wafted to Lowell on Sunday evening, when Mr. John Finnegan will present to music lovers of Lowell, one of the two greatest living tenors, Colin O'More, in a specially arranged program of Irish songs, such as "Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms," "The Foggy Dew," "I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen," "Killarney," "Molly Bawn," "The Low Back Car," "The Bells of Shandon," "Mother Machree," "Little Town in the Old County Down," "The Meeting of the Waters," and many others. Among the popular numbers will be, "Three O'Clock in the Morning," "For the Sake of Auld Lang Syne," "In a Wee Little Home I Love," "I Hear You Calling Me," and "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise." Also a group of French songs, including "Adieux," "La Harcheta," "Rime Tendre" and "Le Mariage des Roses."

In the above program, Mr. Finnegan feels that he is giving to the people of his native city just the kind of songs that they love best, and the writer agrees with him.

Miss Emilie Rose Knox, the young violinist accompanying Mr. O'More, is an artist who has made a name in the musical world, such as few artists can boast of, and her part of the program is a treat that Lowellians will long remember.

Evidence of a packed house lies in the fact, that reports from Bouiger's and the Song Shop say that they have been compelled to have extra room set apart for the handling of the tickets for the Colin O'More concert.

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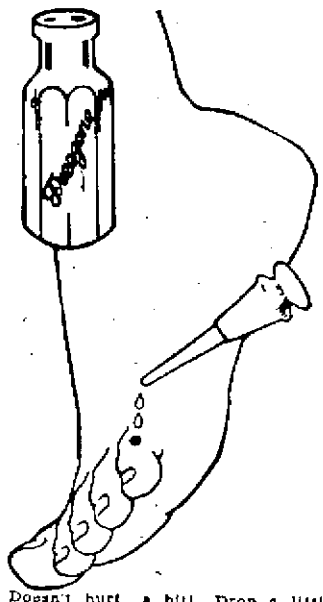

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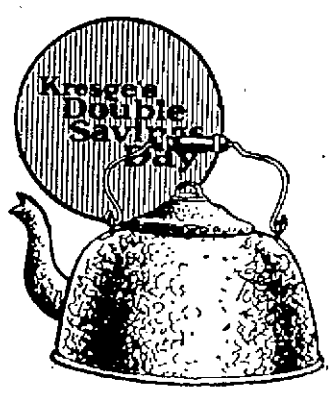

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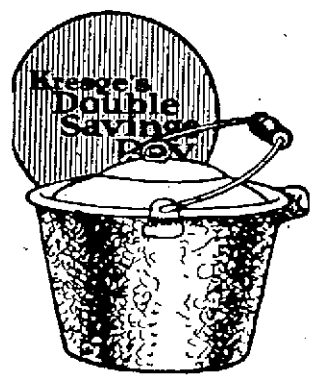

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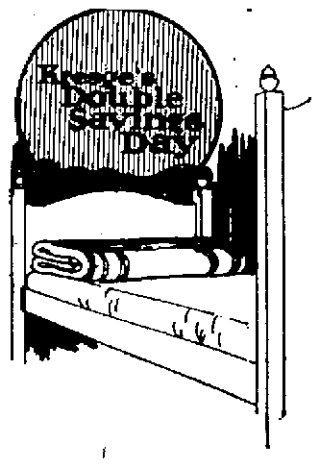

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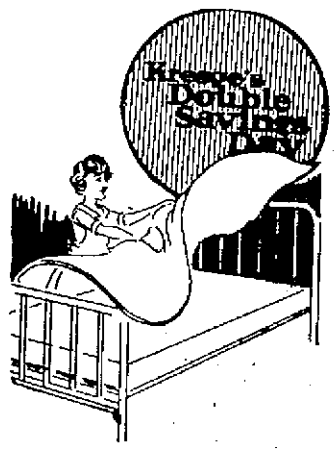

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CONSIDERS OFFER FOR TITLE BOUT

Jack Kearns, Manager of Dempsey, to Reply to O'Rourke's Offer Today

Proposal Calls for Two Matches, One With Wills and the Other With Beckett

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The chances of Jack Dempsey defending his world's heavyweight championship title this summer today hinged, apparently, on the decision of Jack Kearns, his manager, on an offer from Tom O'Rourke, republican A. A. matchmaker. O'Rourke proposed, after Tex Rickard said he was out of it, that Dempsey be matched against Harry Wills, negro challenger, and Joe Beckett, English challenger. He offered to stage two bouts at the Polo grounds, the first to be held on the Fourth of July, and the other providing Beckett defeats Georges Carpentier of France, on Labor day. Kearns told O'Rourke he would have an answer ready Monday. O'Rourke proposed to pay the champion $500,000 for the two bouts.

Rickard, who had been talking about promoting a match between Champion Jack Dempsey and several of numerous aspirants, formally announced withdrawal yesterday. Chairman William Muldoon of the state boxing commission said he suggested that Rickard get out and that he would suggest to other individuals that they form a line behind the tall Texan.

Rickard said he got out because he felt that the public would not support a title match. Muldoon said Rickard withdrew when it was suggested to him that there had been much much "bally-hooing"—preliminary motions to get publicity to interest the public in the fight and create a demand for tickets that would bring in a purse sufficiently large to interest the boxers and their managers.

The net results so far seem to be that Dempsey is ready to fight but that he may not get a chance to.

Jess Willard seemed to be out of the reckoning, although one report had it that he expected soon to start a country-wide exhibition tour to demonstrate his fitness for a bout with the champion.

Kearns did not seem disturbed over Rickard's withdrawal. He said he would be glad to consider all bids. He indicated that he did not expect any proposal from Harry Frazee, who was reported several days ago as desiring an opportunity to stage a bout between Dempsey and Wills.

BROADWAY CLUB NIGHT AT POLO GAME

Tonight will be "Broadway club night" at the Crescent rink, with a large delegation of members of the prominent club being on hand to witness the Lowell-Portland polo battle.

The Broadway club has made great strides in sports and all branches of clean athletic competition are fostered and advanced by the popular North end organization. At the present time the club's basketball team is competing in the city elimination series. Last summer the Broadways had a team in the Twilight league. They also are planning to send a big delegation to Lawrence next week to cheer their popular and clever member, Billy Murphy on to victory in his bout with Al Shubert.

Many of the members are also great polo fans and have been noted at practically all the games this season. Hence in arranging for tonight's affairs reservations were made for about 200 Broadway members and friends.

The game tonight is expected to be a hummer. There is considerable rivalry between these two teams and both are now playing good polo. Lowell went to Portland last night without the service of Frank Hardy, who was on the the injured list, but he will be on deck tonight and his presence in the lineup will add the "punch" to Lowell's play.

Kid Williams, who equalled the record last Tuesday night by scoring nine goals, will be in there playing hard in an endeavor to set up a new mark. Harkins, the crafty leader and feeder par excellence will be on the job, while "Molly" Morrison, and Al Lovegreen will have charge of the defensive operations.

For Portland the league "villan" Dick Donnelly with his pals Gid Brown, Red Williams, "Babe" Bonderful and Freddie Pence will enter the enge in a determined effort to land the award. Jesse Burkett, baseball veteran, of hundreds of battles is sheduled to referee. The game will start at 8.15 o'clock.

WINS GOLD CUP SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The honor of winning the third meet of the Adirondack Gold cup skating championship series fell to Harry Kasky, Chicago, yesterday, when he skated his way to his fourth successive victory on Pontiac rink, winning both the 440 yard and three mile races. Charles Gorman, St. John, N. B., trailed Kasky over the tape in the 440 yard event, taking second place in the meet. Richard Donovan, Johnson City, who finished second in the three mile race, placed third. Kasky's point total was 150, Gorman scored 80 and Donovan 40.

Kasky's victory puts him in a third place tie with Donovan in the Adirondack gold cup series point scores, which Charles Jewtraw, Lake Placid, heads with a total of 330. Gorman has 180 points and Kasky and Donovan 150 each.

The fourth and final meet of the Adirondack gold cup series will be held at Lake Placid on February 8, 9 and 10.

POLO—TONIGHT
PORTLAND vs. LOWELL
CRESCENT RINK—8.15
TICKETS.... 35c, 55c and 65c
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TRACK MEET
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AVILA GIVEN AWARD

Decision to Lowell Boy Over Billy Duffy of Everett Unpopular With Majority

A great fight, but a decidedly unpopular decision was the verdict of the majority of the fans that witnessed the Johnny Avila-Billy Duffy bout, which was the final event of the Moody club card at the Crescent rink last night. The award to Avila created a great furore and hisses, jeers and groans followed. The Avila supporters, though in the minority, retaliated with vigorous cheering.

The officials of the bout, Referee Cooper of Lawrence and Judges Al Bates of Boston and Frank Murphy of Lowell, were subjected to severe criticism. The Lowell man was made the brunt of the attack, because the other men hurried to the dressing room. Murphy, however, declared that he voted for Duffy. This announcement breaks a rule of the state boxing commission, which prohibits officials from telling how they balloted, but Murphy said that, regardless of what action would follow, he felt justified in disclosing his hand. He was not going to stand for criticism he did not deserve, he concluded.

The fight was a slashing number, one in which action and terrific hitting featured every round. Duffy carried the fight to his opponent, virtually all the way, and he conducted an incessant attack right up until the final bell. Once he hit Avila low and the bout was stopped to permit Dr. William Collins, local medical representative of the boxing commission, to conduct an examination. The doctor pronounced Avila fit to continue.

Avila scored some heavy blows to the body. He stood right in there and swapped with his opponent, but his attack was minimized by too much holding and clinching. Many times Avila would close in and grab Duffy around the neck with one hand, and swing with the other. This action incurred the displeasure of the fans, but the referee permitted it to continue.

Duffy showed wonderful improvement over his previous work here. He shot over lefts to the head with great force and accuracy. He countered well with stiff rights to the body. He was fast on his feet, and he worked with confidence all the way. He evaded many of Avila's heavy swings, and blocked and ducked in expert fashion.

Twice the battling became so furious that the referee had to step in and pry the gladiators apart after the bell had sounded. In scoring the fight it would appear that Duffy had the advantage. He landed more blows. He showed greater aggressiveness. He was seldom on the defensive. He struck one illegal blow, but it was accidental and did not incapacitate Avila. The Lowell boy's blows, though fewer, were apparently of greater force, but his clinching and holding, his willingness to let Duffy do all the leading, were points that counted, or should have counted, against him.

The other bouts on the cards were fine numbers. In fact the show was one of the best balanced of the season. Harry Foley of Boston and Wallie Theroux of Nashua appeared in a hurricane eight-round number. It lasted but seven rounds with Foley sending Theroux to the floor and the referee calling off hostilities. In the early stages the Nashua boy tore at Foley like a tiger and while he showed the way to his opponent he apparently fought himself out. At the half-way mark, Foley forged to the front, and his stinging blows to the midrift slowed up Theroux and brought about his downfall.

In the other eight-rounder Jack Dillon of Woburn won over Johnny Gray in a heavy hitting battle. Jack O'Brien of Lawrence won the award over Tommy Dalton of Lawrence in a peppery six-round event.

There is great interest locally in the bout in Lawrence next Tuesday night between Billy Murphy of Lowell and Al Shubert of New Bedford. It is looked upon as the most important in the Lowell boy's career, as Shubert has held the New England featherweight title, and only the other night won over Young Manty, the present holder of the title. Shubert did not lift Manty's crown because of the fact that he was overweight, but only for the few additional pounds that Al carried he would today, hold the honor of having regained a title he held several years ago. Murphy realizes the importance of the battle and he is training daily with Kid Lewis of Lawrence and Joe St. Hilaire of Somersworth, N. H. He wants to be at his best when he faces the "bear cat." If successful he will immediately go after Manty for a championship bout. It's a great chance for the popular "Acre" lad and all his local admirers wish him success in his undertaking.

LOWELL HIGH WILL PLAY MANCHESTER

The following members of the Lowell high school basketball team left this city this afternoon for Manchester, N. H., where they will play a return game with the high school team of that city this evening: Capt. Achin, Curtin, Ratchin, Georges, O'Sullivan, Macullum, Davis, Carpenter, Gonnellas and Casey.

In their last game here, the two teams battled to a 9-9 tie and since then Lowell has lost two games and won one, while Manchester has yet to meet defeat. Both teams have beaten Nashua.

EQUALS WILLIAMS' MARK

Duggan Scores Nine Goals—Young Cooney Stars for Lowell in Portland Game

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Worcester	32	23	58.2
Providence	27	27	50.0
New Bedford	28	29	49.1
Portland	24	26	48.0
Lowell	24	29	45.3

GAMES TONIGHT

Portland at Lowell.

NEW BEDFORD, Feb. 2.—The Whalers won over the Providence Gold Bugs here last night by the score of 9 to 5. Bill Duggan, of the home team, scored all of New Bedford's goals and thus equalled the season's record held by Kid Williams of the Lowell team. "Jigger" Higgins starred for Providence. The lineup and score:

NEW BEDFORD	PROVIDENCE
Duggan, lr	lr, Wiley
Davies, 2r	2r, Higgins
Dufresne, c	c, Evans
Gardner, hb	hb, Doherty
Welsh, g	g, Blount

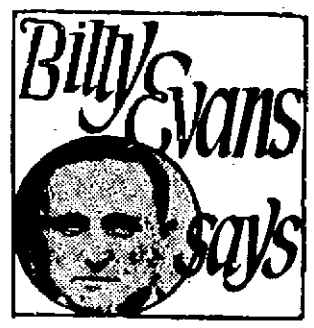
Rushes: Duggan 3, Wiley 9. Goals, Duggan 9, Higgins 4, Wiley 1, Evans 1. Stops: Welsh 38, Blount, 19. Referee, Finnell.

Portland 6, Lowell 3

PORTLAND, Feb. 2.—The Lowell team, without the services of Frank Hardy at center, but with a Lowell youth named Cooney filling in, went down to defeat at the hands of the Portland quintet here last night by the score of 6 to 3. It was a well played game, with Bouchard starring for the home team and Young Cooney featuring for Lowell. The lineup and score:

LOWELL	PORTLAND
K. Williams, lr	lr, Bouchard
Cooney, 2r	2r, R. Williams
Harkins, c	c, Donnelly
Morrison, hb	hb, Brown
Lovegreen, g	g, Pence

Rushes: K. Williams 9, Bouchard 5. Goals: Bouchard 4, R. Williams 1, Donnelly 1, Cooney 3. Fouls: Cooney 1, Donnelly 1. Stops: Pence 40, Lovegreen 41. Referee, Welsh.



The inexperience of the major league recruit crops out in many unusual ways, until he finally acquires the polish that fits him to be classed as a regular.

Making the grade in the big show is far from an easy proposition. The major leagues contain the very cream of the baseball talent. Every player is matching his wits against the opposition.

The inexperience of a White Sox rookie last summer saved Ed Walsh and myself considerable trouble. As a matter of fact, the act of the recruit proved a life saver for the umpires.

Cleveland was playing Chicago. If my memory serves me correctly, the bases were filled, two out and the score a tie. Edwards, a recruit southpaw, was doing the pitching for Cleveland.

It had been a wild contest, both managers using several pitchers and sending in many pinch hitters. In the ninth inning, with the bases filled, Manager Gleason of the Sox desired to use a pinch hitter, but the only player available was a recruit catcher by the name of Graham.

Ed Walsh, former White Sox pitcher, was umpiring back of the plate. Gleason finally decided to take a chance on the recruit, Graham and sent him up to bat.

The very first ball that Edwards pitched to Graham struck about a foot in front of the plate, and evading the frantic efforts of Catcher Steve O'Neill to break it down, the ball rolled to the grandstand. It sure was some wild pitch!

From my position back of the pitcher, I decided the game was over as the runner from third crossed the plate. Walsh, umpiring balls and strikes, also felt the same way, as he started to walk off the field the moment the run was scored. Then I saw Steve O'Neill grab him, and in a minute Walsh was surrounded by the entire Cleveland team, claiming the ball hit the batter. Such a claim is usually made in the pinch with the winning run going over.

All the batter needed to do was start for the bench after the runner had crossed the plate and the game would have ended so far as the umpires were concerned. As I walked to the plate to see what the trouble was, the batter, Graham, suddenly dashed to first base.

Immediately I realized the recruit had tipped off the play.

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ECHOES OF THE BUTLER-BROADWAY GAME

"That victory means the series for the Butlers", said Billy McGuire, the aggressive and clever captain of the Upper Gorham street basketball team yesterday in commenting on his team's success in winning over the Broadways on Wednesday night.

"We know we can beat the Acre club, and if you will look back over the other games in the series you will arrive at the conclusion that the Broadways haven't a thing on us. True they did hand us two beatings in a row and while their wonderful garrison finish in the second game deserves praise and admiration, such things only happen once in a lifetime, and we were caught napping and allowed them to overcome what we thought was a comfortable lead. We learned our lesson though and resolved right after that game to play a little differently, and I think we did in the last battle."

Continuing Billy said, "We did what many thought was impossible when we handed the Cadets three defeats in a row after being beaten in the first game. While we realize it's some task to duplicate the stunt against such a team as the Broadways, we know that such a thing is a possibility and we are out to accomplish it."

Jack Molloy, manager of the Broadways, looks forward with confidence to an ultimate Broadway triumph. "The Butlers are a good team, one of the best organized locally in recent years, but I still feel that we have a better balanced outfit, and that we will prove the claim in the next game. I have no alibis to offer. The boys played hard and kept right in the fight up until the final whistle. A few of the players were not at their best, due to injuries. Keyes particularly was in no condition to play. His back was strapped up, but he showed his gameness by insisting upon going in, even if only for a brief period. A couple of others were nursing bruises, that did not improve their speed. I realize that a few of the Butlers, too, were battered up a bit and as I said I am not attempting to detract from the Butler victory, or offering any excuses for losing. The men on both teams were a little off in shooting, but the importance of the game, I feel, had a lot to do with it. My men were confident, probably a little too confident. They felt there was nothing to it after winning two straight. They now realize the Butlers are a fighting outfit, like themselves, and they also know that they will have to travel at their best in order to land the honor. The defeat I figure did the team some good. Now they are out to play as never before and I will be greatly disappointed if the series does not end next Monday night.

It seemed rather strange in local athletic competition to see two brothers on opposing teams, both trying their hardest to win out, and when occasion demanded, each going after the other strenuously in an endeavor to help his respective team. The Foley brothers, Joe of the Broadways, and Dick of the Butlers, are fine players. Both are small of stature, but their class demonstrates the truth of the ancient assertion, "Good stuff comes in small packages." Joe is the older and the more experienced of the two, but Dick is a comer. Each played an important part in last Wednesday night's game, and "big brother" Joe was the first to congratulate Dick on his team's success. Their playing, their spirit and their sincerity demand admiration. They are clean-cut young men, and a credit to any game.

The St. Peter's Cadets and the Butler Seconds will meet in the preliminary to the next Broadway-Butler game. An indication of the large number of teams in the city may be gained from the flock of youngsters desirous of a chance to play before the big games every night. The management promises that all will be given an opportunity in due time.

FAILS TO HIT SAFELY IN ONLY 17 GAMES

By N.E.A. Service

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—George Sisler last year broke two records held by Ty Cobb.

In addition, Sisler led the American league in batting, and was voted the most valuable player in the American league.

All of which makes the year 1922 stand out as the big season in the career of the Browns' star.

Sisler hit safely in 41 consecutive games. That feat shattered Cobb's record of 40 straight, made in 1911.

In 1911 Cobb batted .420, according to the averages. To be exact, his mark for the season was .4196. Last season Sisler swatted .4197, giving Sisler the shade by the fraction of a point.

In making his 1922 average, Sisler had only 17 hitless games. In 53 games he made one hit, in 35 he had two, in 25 he had three, while in 12 games he made four hits. Some swatting!

The Cleveland pitchers were easiest for Sisler. Against the Indians, Sisler had a batting average of .496.

BILLIARDS CHAMPIONSHIP

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Edward Raynolds of New York, was sole possessor of first place in the National Amateur Pocket Billiards championship today the last day of play, as a result of his victory yesterday over Carl A. Vaughan of Chicago, 125 to 86. Raynolds has three victories and no defeats.

Second place is held by Vaughan with three victories and one defeat.

MATHEW BOWLING LEAGUE

The Mathew Bowling league will resume its schedule on the Crescent alleys this evening, after a three weeks' layoff, due to the recent show. Tonight's games will be hotly contested as there are four teams tied for second place. While there will probably be a few stiff arms, nevertheless good scores should be the outcome.

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JOHNNY WEISMUELLER REGAINS RECORD

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Johnny Weismueller, a consistent breaker of the world's swimming records, contesting under the colors of the Illinois Athletic club here last night at the Central A.A.U. championship meet removed the only blot from his record by regaining the world's title in the 440 yard event in a 60 foot pool.

He clipped ⅘ and 1-6 seconds from the mark set by Richard Howell, a Chicago high school boy, who lowered Weismueller's previous world's record of 5.03 3-5 for the 440 yds. in recent competition with Norman Ross.

As a starter for the evening Weismueller broke his own world's record of 5:46 4-6 in the 500 yard swim in a 60 foot pool, lowering it 4 and 4-5 seconds.

MRS. FOX, 62, WINS OVER MISS COLLETT

BELLEAIR HEIGHTS, Fla., Feb. 2.—The best round of golf Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, R. I., women's golf champion, was capable of offering, failed to save her from defeat by Mrs. Caleb F. Fox, 62-year-old golfer of Huntington valley here yesterday.

The match between Miss Collett and Mrs. Fox, said to have been one of the most sensational ever played on the Belleair course, was the final of the annual January tournament here. The round was hard fought and close, Mrs. Fox winning by a hair's breadth with a card of 79, while Miss Collett's score was 80, with one hole approximated.

MRS. MALLORY MAY NOT PLAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—It was doubtful early today whether Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory, national woman tennis champion, would be well enough to play her semi-final matches for the single championship of the Heights Casino which Mrs. Mallory is defending.

Mrs. Mallory is suffering with a severe cold.

Two men's teams will participate in a special doubles tournament today. In the first match, Vincent Richards of Yonkers, N. Y., and Samuel Hardy, former captain of Davis cup teams, will meet Richard Norris Williams, of Boston, and Watson M. Washburn of New York.

The second match will be between two New York combinations, Dean Mathey and Karl Behr, against Francis T. Hunter and Zenzo Shimizu.

ROLL OFF AT Y.M.C.A.

Owing to a tie at 310 between Chas. Mason and Ralph A. Forsaith, the roll-off in the Y.M.C.A. bowling alleys for a $5 razor failed to develop a winner. The contest is for the best high string total.

BOWLING

There were several league contests on the local alleys last night. The teams and scores:

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TEAM STANDING

	Won	Lost
Shading	17	3
Shipping	18	6
Office	11	13
Packing	12	16
Grey	8	16
Machine	6	18

High team total, Shipping, 1378.
High team single, Shipping, 481.
High individual 3-string, Roarke, 303.
High individual single, James Scanlon, 141.
Individual averages:
G. Roarke 97.1, L. Inglis 93.7, James Scanlon 92.5, Sweeney 91.16, Griffin 91.17, Mack 91.10, Hurley 90.16, Jer. Scanlon 89.11, Monohan 89.10, Eastham 88.10, Daley 88.9, Powers 88.9, Wilkins 88.8, Breen 88.3, McGrath 88.2, Pigeon 87.6, Dawson 87.1, Foley 86.4, Stapleton 85.9, Sayers 85.9, Holton 85.3, Meehan 85, Riley 84.8, Hobden 84.6, Dainton 84.2, Donovan 84.1, Delehanty 83.10, L. Sexton 83.7, Hart 82.7, Holland 82, Latham 82, Connors 81.4, Carty 82, Archibald 80.7, Hamilton 79.1, P. McCarthy 78.4, Ed. Sexton 77.7, Crossley 77.6, Ed. Cottingham 75.10, Gorman 75.7, Mullin 73.5.

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MacLean	76	115	95	286
Wolt	80	109	80	269
Bigelow	84	112	102	298
Totals	417	528	500	1445

YARD

Desjardins	103	95	93	293
Michelin	91	86	92	269
Riley	81	103	81	266
Cadorette	82	84	85	261
Kane	111	97	96	304
Totals	450	465	447	1392

BOARDING

Traversy	103	102	101	306
Thomas	88	90	78	256
Desloges	114	95	106	315
Geoffroy	91	108	80	279
Harvey	103	106	124	333
Totals	490	501	489	1489

HOSE KNIT IND.

McGirl	92	92	98	282
Perreault	114	115	88	317
Pepin	92	86	92	270
Marcotte	90	92	103	285
Senior	91	99	95	285
Totals	479	484	476	1439

SHIRT FOLD

Vance	103	109	89	306
Clay	86	85	95	265
Lussier	91	97	104	292
Vezina	86	148	86	320
Nault	90	108	89	287
Totals	460	547	463	1470

SHIRT FOLD IND.

L. Lussier	73	80	73	226
Page	79	91	74	244
E. Lussier	87	97	60	246
Nichols	75	85	92	252
Boldue	89	86	80	255
Totals	411	439	383	1233

DYE HOUSE

Benoit	89	94	84	267
Sherburne	90	99	116	297
Barlheault	87	89	89	265
Gagnon	97	72	85	254
Spriggs	97	94	89	270
Totals	460	450	462	1372

HOSE KNIT

Swindells	92	86	85	263
Curry	86	109	100	295
Lemire	105	91	105	301
Taylor	100	144	85	329
Sewell	105	101	90	296
Totals	488	531	466	1485

SILESIA MILLS LEAGUE

MACHINE SHOP

Berry	102	108	105	315
Mahoney	73	62	81	216
McTeague	80	94	81	265
Whitehead	92	82	117	291
Dixon	97	82	103	282
Totals	444	428	487	1356

SPINNING

Hoyt	88	92	92	272
Abrahamson	84	104	91	279
Walsh	62	79	76	217
Corkin	89	90	78	273
Moore	96	85	87	268
Totals	429	456	424	1299

DRAWING

Tyrell	95	119	103	317
Rousseau	81	87	95	263
Stavely	82	97	78	257
Exley	88	86	86	260
O'Connell	83	92	83	258
Totals	429	481	445	1355

COMBING

Shaw	79	83	85	246
Kershaw	89	95	77	261
Moore	101	94	78	273
Johnson	90	96	90	276
McInaney	80	90	94	264
Totals	433	458	424	1320

STOREHOUSE

Livingstone	79	94	86	259
Foster	84	87	70	241
Syvret	74	107	92	273
Gilmore	98	83	84	265
Ryan	83	116	104	303
Totals	418	487	436	1341

WOOL SORTERS

Shurtleff	102	80	86	268
Hoyle	89	85	88	262
Kinch	87	90	103	280
Joe McTeague	81	96	92	239
Smith	98	82	103	283
Totals	457	433	472	1362

WARRIORS VS. BUTLER A.A.

WARRIORS

Flanders	107	94	115	316
Mason	111	117	91	319
King	88	110	95	293
Robinson	106	96	93	295
White	92	91	107	290
Totals	504	508	501	1513

BUTLER A.A.

Thurber	113	104	89	305
Grady	96	91	107	294
Panton	116	106	103	325
Whitelock	120	113	136	368
McQuaid	97	104	107	308
Totals	542	518	541	1601

WATERSIDE MILLS

ZERO WEATHER

Silverio	101	106	96	303
Buchanan	125	91	97	316
Sweeney	102	99	81	282
Moss	102	91	110	303
Fairbrother	96	93	98	287
Totals	529	480	482	1491

DUVETYNS

Houston	95	79	95	269
Carmody	89	94	97	280
K. K. Klumes	72	83	78	233
Waterhouse	108	82	92	282

SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP RACES

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The Chicago program of the national ice skating championship races will be transferred to Endicott, virtually intact, entrants, officials, medals and events, when the meet opens Sunday afternoon. Champion speed skaters from the United States and Canada, will assemble for the events, while a bevy of women experts and fancy skaters also are in competition on the program.

The events Sunday afternoon are the 220-yard, three-quarter mile and one-mile races. Monday's events which probably will be held at night, are the half-mile, 440-yard and three-mile contests.

LOOKING FOR GAMES

The St. Patrick's J.H.N. basketball team would like games with the Lowell Boys' club, Highland quintet, Y.M.H.A. Juniors, Broadways, O.M.I. Cadets, C.M.A.C. and Sharf Nobles. The team is coached by Brother Herman, C.F.X. and is having a difficult time trying to arrange games. The members of the team are George Ashe, Prinneville, Garrity, O'Sullivan, Boyle, O'Brien and several others of equal prominence. Last year, the St. Patrick's played a sensational series with the St. Anne's and the fans would welcome a repetition.

CHANCE PLANS CLUB OF YOUNGSTERS FOR HUB

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—Young players, who will keep fighting at all times, will represent the Boston club of the American league this year, according to Manager Frank L. Chance, who is here arranging his business preparatory to leaving for the east February 14.

"It is my intention to build up a club of youngsters," said Chance. "Veterans might help me a little, but I will have to have the young players to win the pennant."

"It takes a club of youngsters some time to get playing together, and I believe the Red Sox will make a great fight the last of the season."

BOB COOK'S TROPHIES IN YALE GYMNASIUM

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 2.—Crew and coaching cups which belong to Robert Johnston Cook—the Bob Cook who made Yale famous on the water—have been placed in the trophy room at Yale gymnasium. They were presented to the university by Mr. Cook shortly before his death. The cups are six in number, the first one bearing date of 1873, when he won his first race, and the sixth is that given him by the 1898 freshman crew.

JIM BARNES, STAR GOLFER, QUITS RANKS OF BACHELORS

"Long Jim" Barnes, golfer extraordinary, has added another big reason for desiring to topple Gene Sarazen and Walter Hagen into discard, and once again reign as champion. The reason is Miss Caroline Haggerty, who recently became Mrs. Jim Barnes.

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RUSSIA WILL NOT SIGN CONVENTION

LAUSANNE, Feb. 1.—(By the Associated Press) The Russian delegation at the Near East conference announced officially at the meeting of the straits commission today that Russia would not sign the convention providing for control of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus.

The convention, declared M. Tchitcherin, menaced the security of Russia, the Ukraine and Georgia; imposed naval armament on Russia, and violated the treaties of Moscow and Kars between Russia and Turkey. The proposal showed the impotency of the conference to make peace. Russia had her hands free and henceforth would maintain complete liberty of action.

Even though the convention was signed by the others, for Russia the question remained open.

Marquis Curzon said he had always held that the adherence of Russia was necessary to a permanent and satisfactory solution of the Straits problem; and hoped that Russia would sign later.

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REORGANIZATION DRIVE

Lowell Boy Scouts' Campaign For Members Making Good Headway

The 1923 campaign for new members for local Boy Scout troops and for the organization of new troops in various districts surrounding Lowell is advancing.

It is announced that Troops 9, 10, 15 and the Tyngsboro and Chelmsford troops are growing rapidly in new membership numbers.

Troops 3 and 5 have just been organized. Troops 4, 6, 16 and 1, Billerica, are planning to reorganize, and plans are also under way for new troops to be composed of Varnum, Green and Morey school pupils. Other troops, formerly very active but now disbanded, are also considering the possibility of reorganization.

On Thursday, Feb. 8, the 450,000 Scouts of America will renew their obligations simultaneously at 8 p. m. in observance of the 13th anniversary of the founding of the Scout movement in this country.

Arrangements have been made locally to hold a meeting, open to the public, in Liberty hall at 7.30 p. m. Mayor John J. Donovan, Superintendent of Schools Hugh J. Molloy, President Edward Fisher of the Lowell chamber of commerce, President H. Hutchins Parker of the Lowell Rotary club, President Charles D. A. Grasse of the Lowell Advertising club and Supt. Walter R. Joyes of the Lowell Boys' club will take the "Scout promise" as honorary members of the Boy Scouts' organization.

Following this interesting ceremony, the annual message of President Colin H. Livingston of the Boy Scouts of America will be read, and at 8 o'clock all Scouts present will renew their "scout promise." A short program will follow.

The full plans for the week call for varied activities and wide publicity of the work of the Scout movement. Each day has been designated and will be observed in special ways as follows:

February 8—Scout Birthday. General meeting.

February 9—School day. Scout work in the schools.

February 10—Civic day. Scouts will bear in mind "good turns" for the city.

February 11—Church day. Sermons or talks on scouting.

February 12—Lincoln day. Observance of Lincoln's birthday.

February 13—Home day. Scouts to do "good turns" at home.

February 14—Close of National Publicity drive, to interest more boys and adults in scouting.

Future plans for the development of scouting are varied and rapidly nearing completed stages. The end of February will see the beginning of a leaders' training course to help present scoutmasters in their problems and to interest others in helping in boys' work. By the end of April we hope to conduct a scout rally and if possible to send a delegation to the greater Boston scout rally. Tentative plans are also under way for a council camp in the summer, and it is hoped this will be well attended.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—An industrial home for women federal prisoners would be established at Mount Weather, Va., in the Blue Ridge mountains, under a bill reported today by the house judiciary committee.

ERIE, Pa., Feb. 1.—District Attorney Arthur Bliss today had under consideration the coroner's verdict in the death of Soerla Szymanowski, a servant in the house of Fr. John Dambinski, who was shot and killed as she entered the doorway, Tuesday night. The jury found the girl had been shot by Father Dambinski, but he was "laboring under temporary insanity."

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—Opposition to a bill for compulsory general liability insurance of motor vehicle owners and for a state automobile insurance fund was expressed at a legislative hearing today by Representatives of the Automobile Legal association, the Insurance Federation of Massachusetts and the Associated Industries.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Mrs. William G. Rockfeller, widow of the late financier, and her daughter Florence, were forced to flee in their night clothes to a nearby hotel, when fire damaged three floors of their Madison avenue town house, early today.

HAVERHILL, Feb. 1.—Strike in the 15 factories of the Haverhill Top Lift Manufacturers' association was called off today when the manufacturers signed an agreement with their employes for 18 months.

LONDON, Feb. 1. (By the Associated Press.)—When the court action in which the will of the late Lord Northcliffe is involved, was brought before the court for testamentary dispositions today, the judge pronounced against the will of last July, in which Lady Northcliffe was made the sole legatee, in favor of the will of 1919, which gives annuities to many employes of the late publisher.

DUBLIN, Feb. 1. (By the Associated Press.)—Liam Lynch, chief of staff of the dissident republican army, issued a proclamation today refusing to surrender of hostages taken by the republicans and holding the members of the Free State government and of both houses of parliament responsible and liable to punishment if punitive measures were taken.

FABULOUS PROFITS BY RESERVE BANKS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Legal stipulations which have stood in the way of the erection of Federal Reserve branch banks in a number of other cities would be removed by a bill passed today by the house. It already had passed the senate.

The measure provides that hereafter such branch banks may be erected at a cost of $250,000 exclusive of the vaults and permanent fixtures.

Asserting that the Federal Reserve banks were making "fabulous and excessive" profits, Chairman Madden of the appropriations committee urged an amendment to existing law limiting the earnings of such banks. He told the house that decreased earnings would mean loans at lower rates of interest with a resulting benefit to business and the public generally.

Landmark in Britain's Financial Progress

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Presiding over the annual meeting of the National Provincial and Union Bank of England today, Sir Harry Goschen in his address declared that the cabinet's action in accepting the American terms for the funding of Great Britain's war debt, "stands out as a landmark in our financial progress." The definite settlement of the debt problem, he termed of the highest importance, "for I believe," he added, "that it will have a far-reaching influence on the reorganization of the finances of the world and indeed, may inspire other nations to efforts of a similar nature."

Contribute Bonds to Cancel War Debts

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Persons favoring cancellation of the debt owed the United States by foreign nations would be permitted to contribute their Liberty and Victory bonds to be used in reducing it under a resolution introduced today by Representative Edmonds, republican, of Pennsylvania. Contributors would be given the privilege of naming the country to which their offering should be credited.

Want Refugees to Settle in Alaska

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Feb. 1.—(By the Associated Press)—A movement among business men here to have the eight or nine hundred Russian refugees now in Philippine ports settle in Alaska was given formal shape today. M. Spaulding, president of the chamber of commerce, and the presidents of three banks have joined in a request to the national administration that the refugees be allowed to immigrate to the wheat belt of Alaska between here and Fairbanks.

Schenck Buys United Studios

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—Completion of a deal by which Joseph M. Schenck, motion picture producer, became principal owner of the United Studios, was announced today. Mr. Schenck's expenditure was named as $1,500,000. Marco C. Levy, president of the United Studios Corporation is associated with Mr. Schenck in acquiring the controlling interest.

Asks U. S. to Bar Anti-Soviet Russians

LONDON, Feb. 1.—(By the Associated Press)—Maxim Litvinoff, assistant commissar of foreign affairs, in a note to Secretary of State Hughes at Washington, declares that according to information received by the Russian authorities remnants of the counter-revolutionary bands in Siberia intend to cross into Alaska in the spring of this year to dispose of furs looted in Russian territory. The note expresses the hope that the American government will bar the admission to Alaska of all Russians not possessing proper soviet documents.

BLAME WOMEN SMOKERS FOR MANY FIRES

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Women smokers are suspected of having caused the heavy increase in loss by fires caused by "matches and smoking" in the United States during the last year, reported by the national board of fire underwriters today to have totalled $25,392,033. The total loss by fire in the country for the year, according to the report was $495,000,000.

"Can the more general use of tobacco by women during the past few years be the reason for the startling advance in the fire losses from the twin hazard of 'matches-smoking?'" says the report. "Insurance men are asking themselves this question as they contemplate the record total which compares with $16,136,552 for the same cause in 1918."

Losses resulting from various other causes also increased, with the exception of those resulting from the misuse of electricity. Loss from fires so started was $12,733,208, a little more than half the figure five years ago.

SHORTAGE OF WORKMEN IN BUILDING TRADES

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—Young men of the United States are not learning ten trades important to building, according to the annual report of the committee on labor of the Associated General Contractors of America, whose fourth annual convention continued here today.

VALUABLE "MADONNA" STOLEN

FLORENCE, Italy, Feb. 1.—A valuable "Madonna and Child" of the school of Giotto di Bondone, celebrated Florentine painter, has been stolen from the church of Santa Maria Novella.

PARENTS BURNED IN RESCUE OF CHILDREN

WEYMOUTH, Feb. 1.—William O'Brien, national amateur bantamweight boxing champion about 15 years ago, and Mrs. O'Brien were burned today in the rescue of their five children and their unsuccessful attempt to save their home in East Weymouth from fire. Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien carried their children to the piazza roof from which they reached the ground over snowbanks. One of the children, Phyllis, four years of age, was burned about the head, but, like her parents, will recover.

SOVIET ENVOY ARRIVES AT TOKIO

TOKIO, Feb. 1. (By the Associated Press.)—A. A. Joffe, envoy plenipotentiary from the soviet government to the Far East, arrived in Tokio today.

He announced he had come for his health, at the invitation of Mayor Goto. It is significant, however, that Toshihiko Kawakami, Japanese minister to Poland, recently traveling by the trans-Siberian railway to investigate conditions in Russia for the Japanese government has just arrived also.

A number of socialists who scattered handbills at the station upon Joffe's arrival, were arrested.

WORK RESUMED AFTER "ONE-DAY-STRIKE"

SALEM, Feb. 1.—Work was resumed at the Naumkeag Cotton mills this morning as though the "one-day strike" of 600 hands yesterday had never occurred. The settlement was reached when the regular frame fixer, who had been ill, came back on the job and the non-union man, who had filled the position temporarily, returned to his regular work as oiler.

EVERETT TRUE

WE'RE OFF! ALMOST

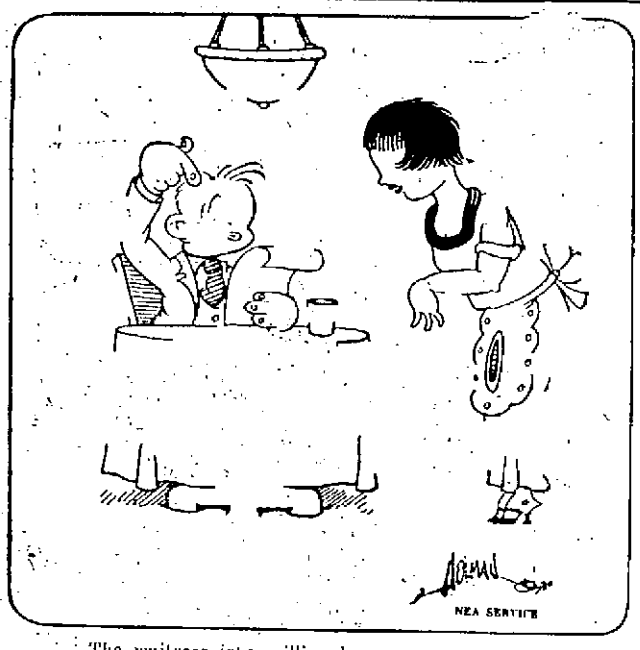
OUT OUR WAY

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

DRAWFUNNIES

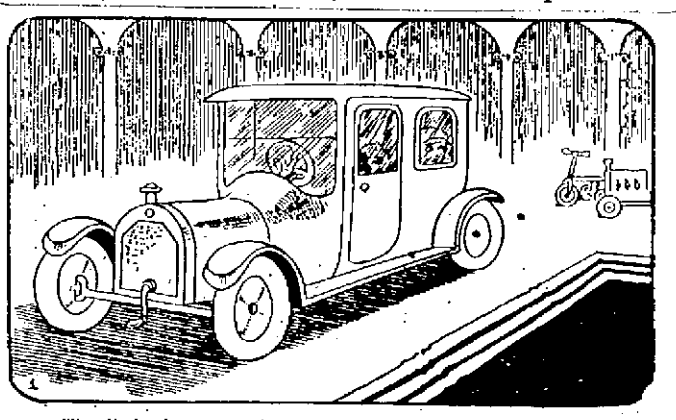
Drawings by Bill Holman — Verses by Hal Cochran

Draw in the missing lines and then color the picture

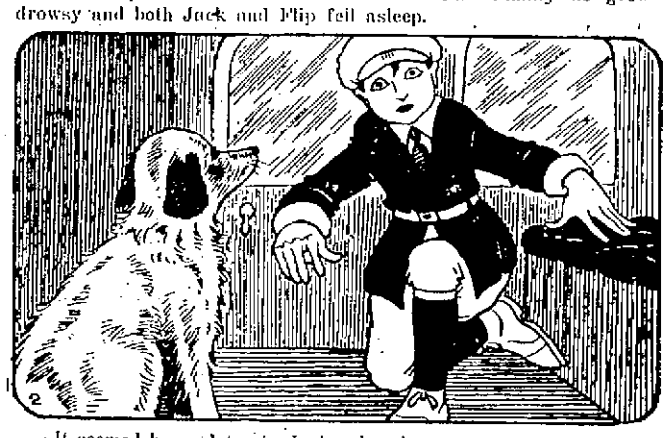


The waitress is a willing lass,
She's always on the hike.
You sit down at the table and
She brings you what you like.

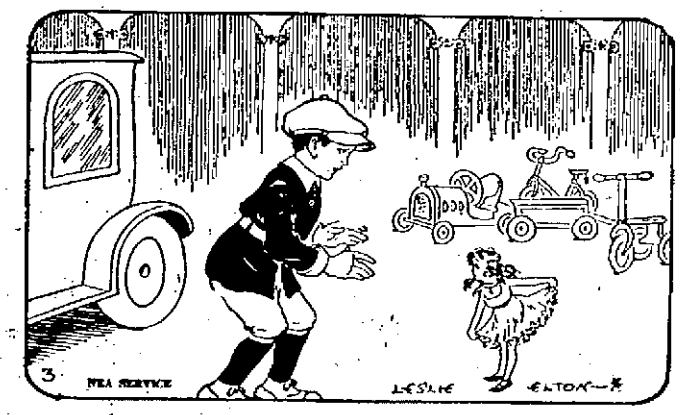
Jack Daw in Toyland. Chapter 3



The little doors on the toy auto hid Jack and Flip from the view of the many people who passed through the store. Jack peeked out now and then to see if the man who had ordered him to take Flip out of the store had returned. Finally he grew drowsy and both Jack and Flip fell asleep.



It seemed hours later to Jack, when he opened his eyes again. And it must have been some time later for when he peeked out of the auto doors there was no one in sight. Flip then started to whine. "We'll have to get out of here," Jack told his dog. Then he found the auto door was locked.



"Hello, there," shouted Jack, hoping to attract somebody's attention. "Won't someone let me out of this auto?" Then he heard tiny footsteps approaching, and a little doll walked up and said, "I will open the door for you." Jack was very much surprised, but he quickly stepped out. (Continued.)

Adventures of The Twins

PUSS IN BOOTS

DUSTY COAT SPRINKLED A LITTLE POWDER ON HIS TAIL AS HE PASSED AND HE TURNED INTO PUSS-IN-BOOTS AT ONCE.

Dreamland was a queer place but just the same everybody had a good time.

Nancy and Nick and Dusty Coat saw to that. With a pinch of his magic powder here and a sprinkle of magic dust there, the little fairy sandman did wonderful things.

One thing he did was this.

After they had played school for awhile, everybody got tired and wanted to play something else.

"Let's play 'Pussy Wants a Corner,'" called out Wally Woodchuck.

"All right! Who'll be puss?" asked Nick.

"Let's get Caesar the Cat," said Nancy.

Instantly Jack Jumping Mouse said, "Oh, no, no, no! Please don't," and nearly shivered his tail off.

And Chirk Chipmunk said "Oh, no, no, no! Please don't!" and nearly shivered his ears off.

"Oh, he won't hurt you!" declared Dusty Coat. "Because I'm going to change him. When he comes to Dreamland I'll stand beside the gate and sprinkle him with some of my magic powder, and instantly he will turn into a black patent leather Puss-in-Boots, just as Buster Brown Bear turned into a Teddy Bear when he came to Dreamland. Puss-in-Boots has a kind heart and wouldn't hurt anyone. No one ever hurts anyone else in Dreamland—that is why I brought you all here."

"Oh, all right!" agreed everybody. So Dusty Coat said a charm:

"Puss in your corner,
Like little Jack Horner,
Oh, please to shut your eye,
And when you're asleep,
Off to Dreamland creep.
You'll get here by and by."

Almost instantly Caesar the Cat entered the little rose gate to Dreamland. Dusty Coat sprinkled a little powder on his tail as he passed, and he turned into Puss-in-Boots at once, politely bowing to everybody. He was as shiny as a new overshoe. He wore a red coat, red boots and a brave white ruffle around his neck.

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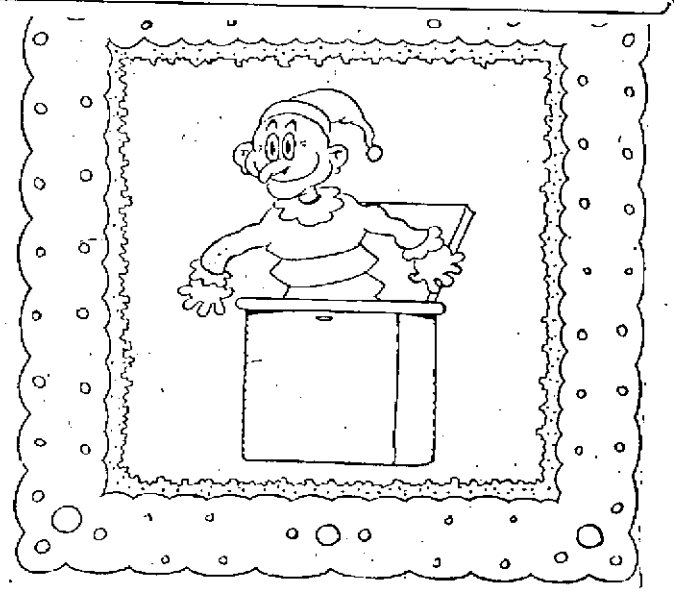
From a Boy to His Mother

(For you to color and send to your mother)



Pretend this Jack-in-the-box is me,
And give me half a start,
And I will be your Valentine
And jump right in your heart.

JUNE MATHIS GOOD FOR A MILLION

BY JACK JUNGMEYER
N.E.A. Staff Correspondent

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29—A good many people have a million dollars, but not many are accounted worth a million to an employer.

June Mathis is.

When Goldwyn Pictures made her editorial director recently, that's what they insured her life for as a sort of replacement valuation.

Although celebrated as a scenarist, Miss Mathis regards herself as a working woman. She isn't temperamental. Or, if she is, she has her temperament under her own control—perfectly.

She's Doesn't Threaten

"Even the directors," she says, "became my friends when I didn't rave because sometimes they thought best to alter my pet scenes. I fight for what I consider important, but I don't huff and puff and threaten to blow the house down."

Miss Mathis supervises the selection and progress of pictures. She sits with directors on the set and in projection room. She titles and she edits and she helps to cut.

It's a job many high-salaried men have failed at.

"When I gave up the stage ten years ago to enter this field," she explains, "I saw that adaptation of famous plays and books was a weak spot in the industry. Nobody wanted to do such work—not romantic enough."

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So it was a branch of the business in which Miss Mathis specialized. The result is that she draws now more than $65,000 a year—not a bad rate of interest on $1,000,000—for duties that others consider beneath them.

She has wide cheeks, full gray eyes and what she frankly calls "fat, to nourish the nerves." Her poise is perfect. She gives the impression of tremendous reserves of energy.

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JUNE MATHIS

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Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Ellen A. Mills, late of Nashua, in the State of New Hampshire, deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, and appointing Richard B. Walsh, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, Massachusetts, her agent, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

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January 30, 1923.

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7.56	8.37	h1.05	2.08
9.01	9.48	2.30	3.41
10.06	11.05	4.00	4.43
11.17	12.00	4.05	5.24
12.07	1.01	5.00	5.42
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4.00	4.48	6.14	7.22
4.12	5.25	8.00	8.41
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		9.59	11.18

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5.26	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.55	10.05		

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Southern Lve.	Arr.	Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.44	7.30	8.45	9.35
7.12	8.03	10.00	10.39
3.50	5.40	11.00	11.38
9.13	10.10	1.40	2.04
10.20	11.17	4.30	5.24
2.52	3.35	7.15	8.25
5.02	5.45	8.00	8.41
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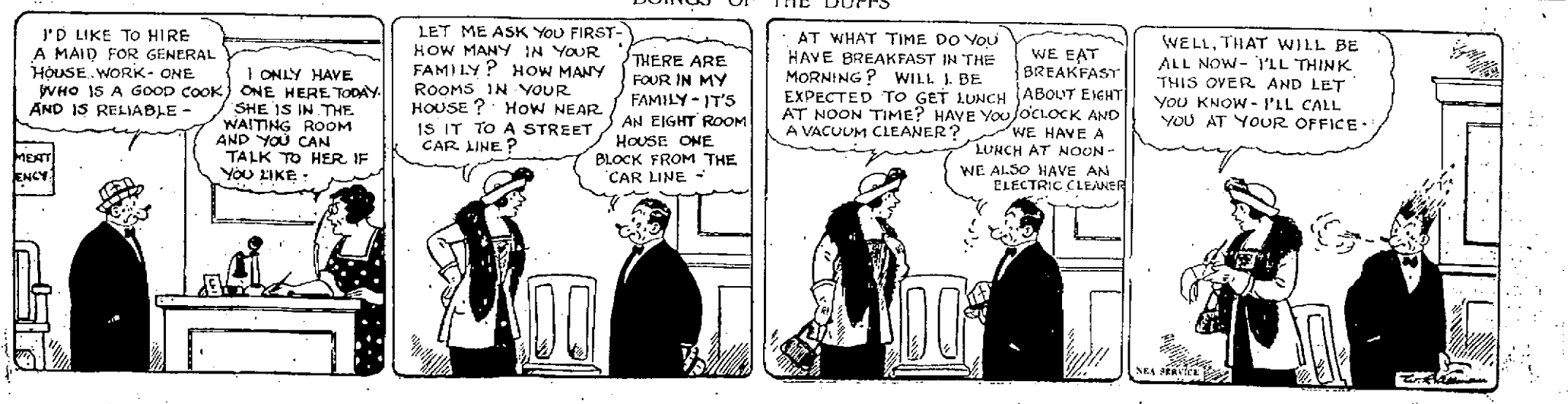

TO EXTEND ITS WATER SERVICE

Southern Pacific Granted Permission by Interstate Commerce Commission

To Provide Water Transportation Between All U. S. Ports and Ports on Gulf

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Southern Pacific Railroad Steamship Lines which now render service between Galveston and New Orleans and New York, may increase sailing, the Interstate Commerce commission decided today to provide water transportation between nearly all New England ports and ports on the Gulf of Mexico west of New Orleans without violating Interstate Commerce laws.

Increased service, the commission held, will be of advantage to commerce and will not tend to exclude competition of independent water lines.

The right to maintain a line between Houston, Tex., and Philadelphia, however, was refused on the ground that independent steamship service now rendered between these ports would be endangered.

All rates, sailing schedules and regulations of the Atlantic Steamship Lines, the Southern Pacific subsidiary which will operate the projected service must be submitted to the commission before becoming effective. The decision resulted from the application of the Southern Pacific as a rail and water carrier for permission to extend the scope of its steamship operations which are under the jurisdiction of the commission. An issue as to the legality of a railroad going into extensive competition with steamship lines was raised, and although the majority of the commission held that authority to do this could be given the Southern Pacific, Commissioners Eastman, Campbell and Potter dissented.

Commissioner Eastman expressed the opinion that the law forbade such extension of service, and declared further that the Southern Pacific had given no assurance that it would extend the steamship service as outlined if permission were given while independent ship lines would be forced to "hesitate before risking competition with steamships so subsidized by the Southern Pacific."

The majority opinion, however, declared: "Under consideration of the record we are of opinion and find that the rail lines of the applicant may compete with its steamship lines but that the operation of those lines in either regular or irregular service between New York and Sabine Pass, Texas City, Freeport, Houston and Orange, Tex., and between Portland, Me., Boston, Fall River and New Bedford, Mass., Providence, R. I., Philadelphia and Baltimore on the one hand, and New Orleans, Galveston and the other gulf ports named on the other except from Philadelphia to Houston, is in the interest of the public and of advantage to the convenience and commerce of the people and will neither exclude, prevent nor reduce competition on the routes by water under consideration."

Discussing the legality of its action the commission majority declared that congress in forbidding railroad control of steamship lines had intended to prevent the strangling of fair competition against railroads. The Southern Pacific's present objective, it was declared, was not to restrict competition against its rail lines but to provide new service and increase rather than reduce competition in transportation service. While independent steamship service has been established between North Atlantic and Gulf ports, it was added, there has been no material improvement or increase in the facilities offered to shippers on those general routes for two years.

ANOTHER COLD SPELL COMING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The weather bureau today reported cold weather advancing rapidly southeastward from the Canadian northwest. The forecasters expect colder weather tomorrow or Sunday in all states east of the Mississippi.

Buys Big Land Tract

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adjoined on its westerly side by the Gookin estate, recently purchased for the purpose of development by Harry Wheeler and Edward W. Trull and on the east, by the Mary W. Baker estate, and is practically opposite Raven road.

It is the plan of the new purchaser, it is understood, to develop the land into a high grade, restricted residential tract. A new street, to be named Park road, will be cut through and will be of the parkway type, with grass plot running through its centre to divide the two roadways. The type of homes to be built will be distinctly first class and there will be restrictions placed to carry out this plan.

The purchase in itself is of unusual interest and importance because of its magnitude, but, also it marks another step in the development of that section of Andover street which long has been considered ideal for residential purposes.

Details of the sale are being handled through the office of Thomas H. Elliott in Central street.

GERMANS TURN TO AMERICA

Unions Appeal to "Traditional American Honor and Appreciation of Fair Play"

Message Gives Expression to "Feeling of Alarm" Felt by 12,000,000 Workers

BERLIN, Feb. 2—(By the Associated Press) The "traditional American honor and appreciation of fair play" are appealed to in a message forwarded by leading trade union executives to the senate and house of representatives in Washington.

The appeal which gives expression to "the feeling of alarm" with which 12,000,000 German workers view the Ruhr occupation, voices the confidence that the United States "did not enter the war for the purpose of annihilating the German people," and declares that "American honor asserted at this time, can save Europe and the world from inevitable disaster."

The chairmen of the executive boards of the four union federations who signed the message say that the step has been taken without the knowledge of official circles.

The Ruhr occupation and the Versailles treaty, the message asserts, have made insvitable a condition of servitude repugnant to the German worker. Not only are the German and European economic systems destroyed, but unemployment for millions of Germans is threatened.

The workers reaffirm "that because of America's positive promise that right and justice shall prevail, they substituted democracy for autocracy, submitted to complete disarmament, and gave unqualified expression of their desire to work for peace and international reconciliation."

The message asserts that the appeal is now "an attempt to induce the United States to take an attitude in favor of one or the other of the opposing parties." It is signed by the chairman of the executive boards of the general federation of trade unions, the federation of Christian labor unions, the league of clerical employes, and the independent federation of Liberal Trade Unions.

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Fire and liability insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

It was announced at the Y.W.C.A. today that no more gymnasium classes will be held until February 12th, when the second term opens.

Mr. George A. Bryant of the local office of the New England Telephone Co. has been called to Newburyport by the sudden death of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Gale Bryant.

The annual midwinter party and dance by the employes of the C. F. Hatch company will be held this year in Highland club hall on Tuesday evening, February 6th.

A slight blaze in a taxicab at the corner of Merrimack and Aiken streets was responsible for a telephone alarm at 9.47 o'clock this morning. No damage.

Miss Rose Walsh, dramatic reader, will appear at the Colonial theatre one week from today to give a reading on "The Truth" under the auspices of the Notre Dame Alumnae association.

In line with their policy of keeping their machinery in the Textile school up-to-date, the Sheo-Lowell shops have removed a cotton slasher which has been there for several years and replaced it with a modern machine.

Emmett Harris of 50 Fay street, this city, has passed the state certified accountancy examination and will immediately take up that type of work. Mr. Harris, now working in Boston, is a brother of Dr. Paul R. Harris of Philadelphia, but formerly connected with St. John's hospital in this city. Emmett Harris is a graduate of the Sacred Heart and Lowell high schools and of the Bentley School of Accountancy, Boston.

Miss Cecilia L. Connors, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Connors of 77 Hampshire street, left Lowell today for St. Catharine's, Kentucky, where she will prepare for the Dominican sisterhood. Miss Connors is a graduate of St. Michael's school, class of 1915, and also attended the Lowell high school. She has two brothers, Rev. Arthur F. Connors, now stationed in Buffalo, N. Y., and James, at present preparing for the priesthood in the Oblate scholasticato in Washington, D. C.

North Pomona Grange

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committee appointment or a fair table assignment. It was good-natured, of course, but the merits of a fine milch cow were lauded to the skies and of course the Rhode Island Reds, the White Orpingtons, White Leghorns, Brahmas and plain Plymouth Rocks all had able and very sincere supporters.

Experts talking upon various subjects relating to farm animals and poultry today included Brothers Harrison of Westford, Kimball of Chelmsford and Dawson of Tewksbury. If anything, so The Sun man was told, the string of 50 poultry of the non-moulting and tested strains had the jagged edge on the mooly cow in the long run, but not putting any cramps on the cow either, for that matter.

At 12.30 mashed potatoes, corned beef and ham, Chelmsford garden peas, plain brown baked beans, all kinds of good thick juicy pies, hot coffee and desserts with orange and banana trimmings made the dining tables sag a bit, and nearly 200 grangers sat down to the repast that these members of West Chelmsford grange provided:

Chairman, Mrs. David Olson; Mrs. Annie Edwards, Mrs. Louisa Hale, Mrs. Lulu Johnson, Miss Ebba Haberman, Mrs. Charlotte Goodman and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith.

Winter Egg Production

This afternoon the grangers had an "open meeting," with the hall filled with members, out of town guests and many Lowell friends of both sexes. The program included an address by Robert B. Trask of the Middlesex county bureau of agriculture, whose subject was: "Winter Egg Production." A question box followed. West Chelmsford grange provided an excellent entertainment, including readings by Master Warren Deane, soprano solos by Mrs. Elizabeth Smith and piano solos by Mrs. Elmer Trull, all of West Chelmsford.

The leading poultrymen in Middlesex county have taken hold of the new project in poultry accounting in fine shape. Already more than 60 farmers and poultrymen have started. Any poultryman who has not already signified his desire to enter this project can do so if he will notify the county office at once.

Among the list of Middlesex county poultrymen in the present record listing project are Rev. Ed. A. Robinson, Fred S. Mears, A. Warren Stearns, Joseph B. Nicholson, C. D. Tuteln, Billerica; Gove W. Sleeper, Mrs. Robert Millican, Burlington; John A. Davis, Carlisle; Miss H. E. Ober, Miss May E. Miles, Ralph W. Emerson, A. Heady Park, Chelmsford; Clark M. Chrysler, Dracut; Dr. J. A. Gage, Tyngsboro; Leon F. Hildreth, Westford.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT BUDGET WILL APPROXIMATE $1,320,000

Budget Discussed at Meeting of School Committee Last Evening—List of Salaries Adopted—Mayor Suggests Boxing and Wrestling at the High School—Other Business

The school department budget for the year 1923 will amount to about $1,320,000. The various estimates as submitted by Supt. Molloy and Business Agent Williams were discussed at a special meeting of the school board last evening and after some discussion and changes, the budget was finally adopted and after the list of appropriations is put in shape, it will be presented to the municipal council and budget commission for adoption. In the course of the meeting Mr. Delaney urged that a watchman be placed on duty at the high school nights, and the mayor suggested that boxing and wrestling be made a part of the physical training at the high school and both propositions were well received.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Donovan shortly before 6 o'clock and the appropriations for salaries for the various teachers and other employes of the department were tackled.

The list of salaries adopted was as follows:

Administration, $27,250.
Day high school, $182,900.
Junior high schools, $113,720.
Grammar schools, $235,620.
Primary schools, $178,590.
Kindergartens, $26,770.
Special teachers, $41,770.
Permanent substitutes, $30,000.
Day janitors, $123,050.
Repairers, $7700.
Engineer and firemen, $8060.
Summer classes, $5000.
Janitors' pension, $844.68.
Evening high school teachers, $16,000.
Evening elementary school teachers, $8525.
Evening high school janitors, $4775.
Evening elementary school janitors, $2775.
Americanization teachers, $10,000.
Americanization janitors, $575.
Day Vocational teachers, $57,206.
Evening Vocational teachers, $22,148.
Day Vocational janitors, $5050.
Evening Vocational janitors, $2700.
Continuation school teachers, $21,870.

It was stated that the increases over last year's expenditures in the list of salaries were to allow for schedule increases and more teachers, but in no case was a further increase contemplated for any teacher or other employe.

After the salary had been approved, Mr. Delaney stated that in his opinion a night watchman should be put on duty at the high school. He said the building cost the city over $2,000,000, and during the night-time it is without protection. Chief Attendance Officer Thornton stated that within the past few weeks there have been no less than three breaks in the school during the night. It was suggested that an appropriation be asked for the salary of a night watchman at the school, and Mr. Mullin stated that in his opinion the man's salary will be saved on insurance rates. Accordingly the item for evening high school janitors was increased from $2775 to $4775 to make provision for the salary of a watchman.

Another matter brought up before the meeting was that of adding boxing and wrestling to the physical training at the high school. This suggestion was made by Mayor Donovan, who stated that he had occasion to visit the school shortly after his inauguration and saw that these two essential sports were missing from the list of physical training. He stated that his experiences in the army have taught him that wrestling and boxing are very essential in the making up of a young man. The proposition was well received by the board, and Mr. Delaney suggested that a special appropriation be made for this innovation, but Mr. Molloy stated that enough money could be taken from the overlays to cover the additional expense.

Another matter which was called to the attention of the board was that of providing money for the erection of portable schools. Supt. Molloy said it may be that the department will need four portable schools during the year and he thought it advisable to include $6000 in the budget. In the course of a discussion that followed, during which Dr. Slaughter called attention to complaints received last year from teachers and pupils on account of the lack of heat in the portable schools, Mr. Molloy stated that the complaints were from the Washington school, while at the Morey school, where two of those schools were in operation, everyone seemed satisfied.

The various estimates on bills for 1923, as well as the estimated revenues, receipts and reimbursements were discussed and finally after some changes, the entire budget was approved. Copies of the revised budget will be made and sent to the budget commission and city council.

POLICE THINK THEY HAVE COIN MUTILATOR

In the arrest of a middle-aged, prosperous looking man, giving the name of William Petropoulos, and address as Brooklyn, N. Y., the local police feel they have apprehended the currency mutilator who has been passing $5 bills raised to $20 bills in this city.

Petropoulos was arrested yesterday afternoon by Capt. David Petrie, Inspector John A. Walsh and Sergt. Philip Dwyer in the drug store of Peter Chagaruly at the corner of Suffolk and Market streets. The arrest followed a telephone message to headquarters that Petropoulos entered Chagaruly's store and inquired for a Greek residing in Dracut.

The proprietor became suspicious of the man's actions and called the police. A search of the prisoner's clothing revealed about $150 in good money, but no raised bills were found. In the district court this morning he pleaded not guilty to the charge and is being held in bonds of $1000. Secret service agents were expected from Boston this afternoon to take the man to the Hub for further hearing.

The following is the list of Greek merchants on whom Petropoulos is alleged to have attempted to work his scheme: John Kretis, 342 Market street; Peter Bolaris, 527 Market street; Avangles Pappachrealos, 59 Dummer street; Evangelos Papposterious, 32 Lewis street; James Karelas, 424 Market street; Michael Koulevaris, 616 Market street; John Kasternakes, 445 Market street, and James Geavis, 436 Market street. Each of the above-named identified the stranger at police headquarters last night.

REQUEST ASSISTANCE OF LOCAL POLICE

A communication has been received at police headquarters from Alfred F. Foote, commissioner of public safety in Massachusetts requesting the assistance of the Lowell police in locating Thomas Arthur Miller, alias Arthur Elschenberger who deserted his wife and two minor children, aged respectively, 2 years and 3 years on Nov. 10, 1922. Miller is described as being about 36 years of age, 5 feet, 7 inches in height, weighing 150 pounds. His hair is black, streaked with gray over the temples. He is a mechanic or chauffeur by occupation.

The police also received a telephone message from Manchester, N. H., this morning stating that a man, giving the names of Albert McArthur and Albert H. Parker, had been arrested in that city, charged with passing worthless cheques.

JUBILEE CELEBRATION IN AUDITORIUM

The celebration of the silver jubilee of Branch St. Andre, A.C.F., in this city next Sunday will be featured by the presence of numerous branches from other parts of Massachusetts and New Hampshire. Tancred L. Blanchette, secretary-treasurer of the general committee on arrangements, has received information to the effect that branches from North Adams, Springfield, Athol, Worcester, Salem, Haverhill, Lynn, Nashua, Manchester and Franklin, N. H., will come to Lowell Sunday morning in a body and will attend the church service and mass meeting in the Auditorium in the afternoon.

The visitors as well as the members of Branch St. Andre and other local societies that will participate in the festivities, will assemble in Grafton hall at 9 o'clock and at 10 all will march to St. Joseph's church in Lee street, where solemn high mass of thanksgiving will be celebrated. The chief marshal of the parade will be Charles Normandin, marshal of Branch St. Andre. The roster of the parade will consist of Branches St. Andre, St. Louis, Pawtucketville, St. Marie, St. Joseph and St. Evelyn, A.C.F., all of this city, visiting societies, members of the city government headed by Mayor Donovan, and out-of-town guests.

The plans for the mass meeting in the afternoon have been changed because of the great demand for admission tickets. It had been planned at first to conduct the meeting which will be in the form of a fraternal educational meeting in Liberty hall, but the demand for tickets, which are free, has been so great, that the committee with the approval of the trustees of the Auditorium, have decided to hold the meeting in the Auditorium. Those with tickets will be accommodated first and then the large hall will be thrown open to the public.

Reservations for the banquet, which will be held in the evening at the C.M.A.C. hall, have been completed and the list of speakers has been secured. The event promises to be a notable one in the history of French fraternal societies in this city, for the committee in charge, which is composed of members of the various branches of the order, is sparing no time or effort to make the affair a most successful one.

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Every shirt guaranteed fast color and first quality

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Men's Hosiery Specials

20c Hosiery 8 Pairs for $1.00
25c Hosiery 6 Pairs for $1.00
50c Cashmere Hosiery 3 Pairs $1.00
85c Notaseme Hosiery 2 Pairs $1.00
$1.00 Heavy Imported Wool Hosiery, 69¢—2 Pairs for $1.00

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$2.00 Silk Stockings $1.35
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CONSTABLE'S SALE

By virtue of a writ issued from the District Court I shall sell at PUBLIC AUCTION on SATURDAY at 2 O'Clock in the afternoon the stock of goods and fixtures situated at No. 626 Middlesex Street as follows: A complete line of canned goods, tobacco, candies, one Dayton computing scales, showcases, to be sold in one lot for cash.

LEO L. TRUDEL, Constable of Lowell.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled, probably rain or snow tonight or Saturday morning; colder Saturday.

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Big Liquor Raid In Washington

ONLY COMPLETE NEW SYSTEM WILL FILL CITY'S NEEDS

F. C. Church, Jr., Chairman of Chamber of Commerce Fire Prevention Committee, Throws Light Upon Question of Installation of Modern Fire Alarm Signal System in Lowell—Cost High, But Unavoidable, He States

At the request of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce, Frederick C. Church, Jr., of F. C. Church & Co., and chairman of the chamber's committee on fire prevention, has investigated the approximate cost and practicability of installing a modern fire alarm signal system in Lowell, paying particular attention to the phase relating to whether the system proposed by the Gamewell Co. engineers, is in excess of the requirements of the national board of fire underwriters.

In a letter written by him today to George F. Wells, secretary of the Lowell chamber, he says only a complete new system of manual type will fill the city's needs and states that any intimation that the installation of an entire new system is in excess of the requirements of the underwriters is not true.

There is no other source from which such equipment may be secured than the Gamewell Co., his letter states, and the only possible reductions in cost of installation would come through the

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GREATEST RAID IN CAPITAL SINCE ADVENT OF PROHIBITION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The police here today conducted the greatest liquor raid in the national capital since the advent of prohibition. It covered the entire city and by early afternoon more than 50 arrests had been made and contraband liquor was being carted into the police stations by wagon loads.

NEW STANDARDS FOR TEACHERS

Must Establish Them to Solidify Profession, Says Mrs. Gardner Pearson

Member of Lowell School Committee Speaks at Worcester Conference

(Special to The Sun)

WORCESTER, Feb. 2—Speaking here this afternoon before the conference of Massachusetts school committees and superintendents, Mrs. Alice F. D. Pearson of Lowell declared the commonwealth must establish minimum standards for men or women who would enter the teaching profession, or the approval of the school superintendent should be a prerequisite to prevent unfit persons from being appointed as members of school systems.

Mrs. Pearson, a member of the Lowell school committee, was one of several speakers during a discussion of the topic, "The Status of the Teacher in Massachusetts." She prefaced her talk with a review of her own experiences in college and training school, preparatory to her entrance into the teaching profession.

"The teacher of today," she said, "must first study her pupil; second, investigate his or her surroundings; third, study the influences which are forming character in and out of school; fourth, help to develop his standards and ideals; fifth, govern them and show them how to live, and, lastly, instruct them."

Continuing, she said:

"A decade ago it never occurred to a teacher to question whether each child was in his right 'stall,' now it is very necessary for her to help him to decide or possibly advise the parent whether or not a vocational school would not be the proper place for her particular child. The problem of the teacher grows more complex every day, the pressure of numbers has led to the invention of various mechanical

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BUYS BIG LAND TRACT

E. W. Douglas Plans Extensive Residential Development in Andover Street

The contemplated purchase by E. W. Douglas, local contractor, of more than a quarter of a million square feet of land in Andover street for the purpose of extensive residential development, was announced today.

The land involved, comprising 240,870 square feet, or approximately six acres, and carrying an assessment of $7200, is a part of the Freeman B. Shedd estate on the south side of Andover street, in an exclusive residential section and is

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DEMPSEY ESTATE SOLD

Adam Guilmette Buys One of the City's Most Pretentious Residences

The George C. Dempsey estate, "The Briars," situated in outer Andover st., and one of the city's most pretentious residences, was purchased today by Adam Guilmette of Hildreth street, former owner of the Honey Crust bakery for a sum in the neighborhood of the assessed valuation of the property, which is upwards of $29,000.

Mr. Guilmette will occupy the lower floor of the residence and will convert upper floors into kitchenette apartments. A portion of the land of the estate, comprising four and one-third acres, will be maintained, while the remainder of it will be divided into building lots.

The estate embraces a residence of 19 rooms and extensive stables and is situated several hundred feet back from the street line. It has not been occupied since the Dempseys moved to Brookline several years ago. Although assessed for $29,250, the residence could not be erected today for $75,000. It is of superior construction throughout and is so designed as to allow for fairly easy conversion into apartments.

The sale was handled by E. Gaston Campbell, real estate broker, and Jas. J. Kerwin, attorney, representing Abigail H. Dempsey, in whose name the property was registered.

ALLEN ORDERED TO QUIT

Directed to Discontinue His Unofficial Relations With Rhineland Commission

COBLENZ, Feb. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—Major General Henry T. Allen, who commanded the American forces in occupied Germany recently withdrawn, has been directed by the state department in Washington to discontinue immediately his unofficial relations with the Rhineland high commission.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Exchanges $1,133,000,000; balances $100,000,000.

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Exchanges, $77,000,000; balances, $18,000,000.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight

Winter Carnival Halted Temporarily by Rain, Continues Tonight With Knicker Dance Big Feature

Photo by Will Rounds

MAYOR DONOVAN STARTS FIRST TOBOGGAN

Lowell's Winter Carnival program, disrupted and seriously curtailed last night by sudden and drenching rain, will be continued this evening, with toboggan races and ski jumping contests at Fort Hill park, to be followed by a knicker dance at the Auditorium at 10 o'clock.

Beautiful weather today made the continuance of the carnival possible, after a most disappointing night, when it seemed as if the weather man in his contrariness was about to let down a water curtain that would entirely obliterate the affair and wash all the snow from the hillside.

Even though the weather had not cleared today, the carnival would have been acclaimed a success, for beginning at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and continuing until nearly 9 o'clock in the evening, upwards of 25,000 men, women and children thronged the park and found real and novel enjoyment in the events which were held. Although it was believed the carnival would prove an attraction of considerable magnitude, no such crowd was anticipated and it at once showed the committee the possibilities of a similar affair upon a much larger scale next year.

In preparation of tonight's sports, park department men worked all forenoon and afternoon today tamping down the ski jump take-off and building up the toboggan slides which softened considerably under yesterday's sun and

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FOOD SUPPLIES GETTING LOW

Germans Claim Congestion of Rolling Stock Interferes With Food Shipments

Resumption of Partial Train Service Reported From Occupied Area

Appeal of German Labor to U. S. Congress Without Government Approval

(By the Associated Press)

While the grip of the Franco-Belgian industrial control of the Ruhr is being felt in unoccupied Germany to which coal and coke shipments have been completely cut off, the pinch of hunger is beginning to threaten the Ruhr itself, according to German authorities. Food supplies are getting low in many towns and consultations of government food officials on the situation are in progress in Berlin.

The authorities of occupation have indicated their intention not to interfere with the movement of food into the Ruhr.

DISCUSS NEW LOCATION FOR DISTRICT COURT

The actual agitation for the establishment of a new district courthouse in Lowell was resumed this afternoon when a delegation of local members of the bar met in the Market street courtroom in the presence of the Middlesex county commissioners, Cutting, Wardwell and Barlow and formally petitioned for more adequate and convenient quarters for the proper conduct of legal work in Lowell.

Richard Brabrook Walsh, chairman of the committee recently appointed to draw up the petition, explained that local lawyers are united in believing that the proposed removal to the Gorham street courthouse would be inadequate to care for the increasing business of the district court. "This court," he said, "needs a main courtroom and two other rooms, one for juvenile sessions and another for civil sessions, and the Gorham street proposition coul could not satisfy these demands." He further stated that the money spent for remodeling up there could be spent just

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GRIP lost, containing discharge papers with owner's name and address and other papers valuable only to owner. Person is known who has same. Return and no questions asked. Reward, 253 Middlesex st.

NORTH POMONA GRANGE

Many Grangers Attend Meeting in Odd Fellows Hall—Lively Debate

The Springfield gas tank explosion, the Lausanne conference, $32-per-ton coal and United States senate war debt debates all took back seats today when Middlesex county grangers met in lively debate in Odd Fellows hall, Centralville, to compare the profit qualifications of one full-blooded prolific Ayrshire cow and a flock of registered Rhode Island Red laying pullets. At 12.30 o'clock when the ladies of West Chelmsford grange begged everybody to come downstairs to a farmers' dinner, the debate was called off with no winners announced.

It was another big day in Middlesex North Pomona grange circles, with attendances large both morning and afternoon. Master Clyde Prescott of Westford presided from the start, for the first time, and the new leader received a splendid and most encouraging reception.

Lecturer Mrs. Grace Dawson presided as usual at the side table during the morning session, that began at 10.30, and jotted down happenings and handling the delivery of reports of past meetings and committee doings.

The morning was devoted almost exclusively to poultry problems. Many farmers are increasing their flocks this season, and all reported their best birds of the pullet brand laying nicely and products bringing very good prices. Finest fresh eggs are selling for as high as 75 cents in some country towns, but the average price around Lowell today runs from 52 to 65 cents per dozen for the fancy fresh. Some Dracut eggs right out of the hennery have sold as low as 68 cents per dozen, but that price is not a popular one with anybody except the egg buyer.

The debate regarding the value of one cow as compared with a nice flock of fifty real good laying hens, created more discession than a

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U. S. SENATE IN STORMY SESSION

Heflin Twice Rebuked for References to Wadsworth and Couzens

Senate Also Expunges From Records Remarks by Couzens Regarding Heflin

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Senator Heflin, democrat, Alabama, was twice rebuked by the senate today for language he used in references to Senators Wadsworth, republican, New York, and Couzens, republican, Michigan. By a vote of 40 to 28, his remarks regarding Senator Wadsworth were held to be improper, and, then without a record vote, the senate expunged remarks regarding Senator Couzens.

At the same time, in one of the stormiest sessions of recent years, the senate also expunged from its records remarks made by Senator Couzens regarding Senator Heflin.

THIS IS GROUNDHOG DAY

Back to Warm Quarters Went Mr. Hog—More Winter Weather

Mr. G. Hog walked right out and turned around and walked right back again.

Too much sunshine for Mr. G. Hog, but that menacing black shadow on the snow! Gee! That was the worst of all.

And so back to the old tunnel home down below and six weeks more of old King Winter's stings and arrows.

Old Sol's determination to shine today was responsible for Mr. G. Hog's

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TAXICAB DRIVER AND PASSENGERS SAVE LIVES OF DRACUT FAMILY

Home of James J. McManmon on Lawrence Road Fired by Incendiaries at Early Hour This Morning—Kerosene Used on Piazza and Front of House—Authorities Are Investigating

The timely arrival of an automobile at an early hour this morning probably saved the home and family of James J. McManmon on the Lawrence road in Dracut when the driver of the automobile and his passengers discovered fire well under way on the piazza of the McManmon residence. They succeeded in awakening Mr. McManmon and the fire was quickly extinguished.

It was the most dastardly case of incendiarism and attempt at human life that has been recorded in these parts for several years. There is little doubt but what Mr. McManmon and his family would have been burned to death but for the timely arrival of the autoists.

It was William Sullivan, a driver for the Red Line taxi service, who first discovered the fire. He was on his way to Lowell from Lawrence with the Higgins' Dixie Land orchestra and as he neared the home of Mr. McManmon, the well known florist, a blaze attracted his attention. A second later others in the car had also

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NON-ESTABLISHMENT OF 1923 SALARIES BY COUNCIL WILL RETARD WORK ON BUDGET

Although the budget and audit commission went into session with Mayor John J. Donovan at 2 o'clock this afternoon to consider the 1923 municipal budget, Chairman Tyler A. Stevens said he did not see how very much progress can be made until the city council establishes salaries for all departmental heads for the current year.

The commission during its deliberations will run up against a number of departmental estimates in which are included provisions for salary increases and inasmuch as the budget board has no jurisdiction over them, it will be unable to establish or complete a true budget of its own for presentation to the mayor.

When asked today when the council will act upon the salary question, Pres. James J. Gallagher said he will try to appoint a committee on salaries prior to the regular council meeting next Tuesday night and will make an effort to have this committee go into session in time to have a report ready for presentation at the regular session. Pres. Gallagher realizes the importance of the matter and desires to co-operate in every way with the budget and audit commission.

Department heads asked to appear before the commission this afternoon include city messenger, inspector of wires, superintendent of moths, purchasing agent, sealer of weights and measures and elections commission.

THREE-FOLD INVESTIGATION OF BIG SPRINGFIELD EXPLOSION

Investigators of Blast That Caused Three Deaths, Many Injuries and Heavy Property Damage, Seek to Place Responsibility and to Determine Whether There is Danger of Recurrence of Explosion—Many Suits Against Gas Company

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 2.—The explosion that shook this city, with three deaths and injuries to more than half a hundred persons in the wreckage of windows and walls over a wide area, yesterday, was still unexplained today. That it was due primarily to a leakage of gas in the purifying plant of the Springfield Gas Light Co., where it occurred, was admitted by company officials, but how this loose gas became ignited was not established.

Three Fold Investigation

State and municipal inspectors were working with those of the company, in a three fold investigation that had as its primary object, aside from placing responsibility, determination of the question whether in the purifying processes there was danger of a recurrence of the blast. Arthur S. Hall, general superintendent of the company, and Captain Herman Brugl, the company's supervising engineer, agreed that quantities of gas got away from the filler boxes from time to time, but thought there was no extraordinary hazard in the condition.

Urge Removal of Plant

Prominent citizens, professing that

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POLICE SEEK AUTO THAT STRUCK BLIND MAN

Local police are on the look-out for an automobile of the coupe type, Massachusetts registration No. 118,195, which struck, knocked down and painfully injured Edward R. Richardson, blind, at the corner of Thorndike and Appleton streets at 2.10 this afternoon. Richardson is employed as a chair caner at the Lowell Workshop of the Blind and lives at 19 Shaw street.

According to eye witnesses, Rich-

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Interest Begins Tomorrow
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MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK INC. 1861 IN LOWELL
204 MERRIMACK ST.

FUNERAL NOTICE

MAHER—Died in this city, Jan. 31, at the Isolation hospital, Mrs. Alice Maher. Funeral will take place on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from 344 Suffolk street. Funeral mass at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. P. H. Savage's Son in charge.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight

Safe Conservative Mutual
WASHINGTON SAVINGS INSTITUTION

Bostonian Goes to Europe For Rest And Gets It—By Capturing Memel

ANTHONY IVAS, HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN, PAUL AND STANLEY

By N.E.A. Service

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Anthony Ivas, banker and insurance broker of South Boston, had a nervous breakdown.

To rest up he sailed for Lithuania on a visit to his parents. He cured his ragged nerves by starting a revolution that was heard around the world!

Ivas, who is 36, is the man who captured Memel. And now he's a hero there, and they call him the "Uncle Sam of Lithuania." Over there he's the "de facto president" of Lithuania. Here he is president of the Baltic States Financial corporation, owns a real estate agency, a three-story building, and a banking, insurance and steamship business. His home is on a boulevard overlooking Dorchester bay, where he has a wife and two children.

"His letters are full of politics which I don't understand," said Mrs. Ivas, telling of his strenuous rest cure and his triumphs.

This is what his letters told: When he reached Memel he saw the Lithuanians suffering oppression from the government. So he started a tour of speech-making, urging the peasants to form their own government. And he put pep in his plea by digging up 1,000,000 marks—$100 in real money!—to start a freedom fund. The result was a rise to arms—and the capture of the Memel district.

Ivas went revolutionizing with the same enthusiasm that marked his rise in America. When he came to South Boston 19 years ago, a youth of 17, he was immediately cheated out of his small savings by a fellow countryman. He started saving again and laid the foundation for his present business.

Business was not neglected on that strenuous trip back to Memel, either. Besides running a revolution and mending his nervous system, he found time to open an agency of his South Boston business in Kovna and another in Memel. He predicts that Memel will be a "second New York," says his wife.

"Of course, I am proud of what he has done," said Mrs. Ivas, "but I've cabled him to come home home. He may get shot if he stays over there. I've just had a cable from him in which he says he is returning some time in February. I think he needs a rest."

His son, Paul, who is five, isn't worried about his father getting shot.

"My daddy can lick anybody in Europe," he said, proudly. "I want him home, though, for he promised to bring me a jackknife."

Thoughtful Nurse Advises Mentho-Laxene

"I thoroughly enjoy recommending Mentho-Laxene because almost magical results are secured in acute and stubborn coughs and colds.

"The very first dose tends to stop the sneezing and snuffling; check the 'tickle' or spasm, that causes severe coughing;

loosen the catharchal phlegm and stop the running secretions of nostrils and eyes.

"You actually feel its soothing, penetrating, healing action on the membranes of the nostrils, throat and air passages; yet it positively contains no opiates, narcotics or chloroform!"

Use it full strength or mix with sugar syrup into a full pint of laxative tonic cough syrup. It's better by far than pine or tar. Sold by all good druggists.—Adv.

CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH MEN'S CLUB MEETING

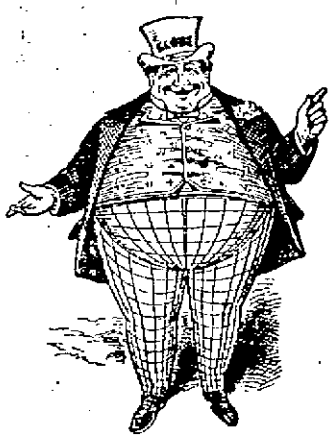
An attractive dinner menu with an interesting lecture by a Lowell business executive dealing with an important topic of the times, were some of the drawing features at the second monthly meeting of the Men's clubs of the Central M. E. church, last evening. More than 30 members were present. The supper was served at 6.30 o'clock under the direction of the Ladies' Aid.

Edward J. Cooney of the Lowell Gas Light Co., was the speaker. He described the methods of conducting a successful club, mentioning the activities of the Lowell Advertising club in particular. He described plans for booming membership and booming the city of Lowell. He believed that Lowell would soon have a new hotel and said that many business men were backing a plan for the building of one in the near future.

The entertainment concluded with songs by Clarence Chenevert and Alan Dockes and the telling of humorous stories by Fred Timmins. The officers of the club for 1923 are: President, John L. Wolfe; vice-president, Edgar Mevis; treasurer, Clarence Chenevert; secretary, Larry Hardy; program committee, Donald Court, Clarence Chenevert and Chester Woods.

THE BEST IN NEW ENGLAND

THE BOSTON GLOBE News



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Beach Bluff Man Offers Testimony

Popular Traveling Salesman's Experience too Remarkable to Ignore

Facsimile of Front of Carton

ALLEN'S

LUNG HEALER AND BODY BUILDER

CONTAINS NOT OVER 1% ALCOHOL

A startling story of a stiff battle against a severe bronchial cough, in which Allen's Lung Healer played an important role, is told by Carl E. Vose, well known throughout New England as a traveling representative of a large varnish manufacturer. Here is his story:

"I have often heard how much Allen's Lung Healer has benefited others, but I doubt if anyone has got more benefit from it than I have.

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MEN'S HOSE
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Medium weight, double soles, high spliced heels, in black, cordovan and gray. Priced, pair ..... **25¢**

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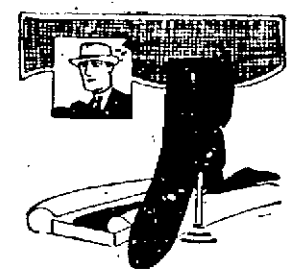
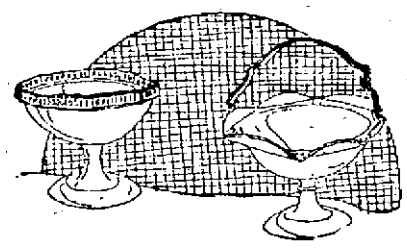


GIFT SHOP

Third Floor



In the Gift Shop Are Many Things for the Home

One's personal gift wants are usually met by home folks and so to friends outside the family it is always well to give decorative things for the home; good looking book-ends, a candy jar, a door knocker and these are only a few suggestions.

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The HOOVER

This is the age of the practical gift and nothing could be more practical than The Hoover. It will save "her" time and labor—will prevent dust storms—will make the rugs wear longer. Easy payments cheerfully granted.

Demonstration Table First Floor

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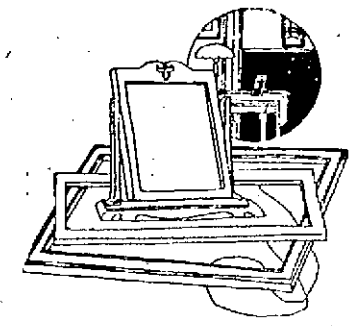

Surely if you have a photograph in your bed room or on a table in your living room, you are fond enough of the person to put the picture in a frame. Photographs are not only much more attractive to have about when they are artistically arranged in a polychrome mahogany frame, but the picture is protected.

NASHUA MAN WINS BUICK TOURING CAR

M. W. Glidden, of 35 Lock street, Nashua, N. H., was awarded the Buick touring car put up by the Wamesit lodge, K. of P., several weeks ago during the Kasino carnival activities. The award was made last evening at a meeting of the Pythians in Harrington hall on Central street. Miss Ida Watson, one of the entertainers of the evening, was called upon to draw the ticket. Mr. Glidden was not in the audience, but will get his car by calling on Frank H. Haines at the office of the Lowell Decorating Co. on Market street and identifying himself.

Mr. Haines announced that a merchants' exhibit and food fair would be held at the Kasino, March 19 to 24.

During the meeting last evening, Miss Watson gave a program of toe dancing, under the direction of Miss Blanche Perrin. Frank A. Whipple presented Miss Watson and her teacher with small gold pencils for their efforts in behalf of the local Pythians.

The committee in charge of the recent carnival, which was very successful from start to finish, included Mr. Haines, President Whipple, Vice-President Perry D. Whipple, Treasurer John Muir and Secretary Ross Goodwin.

SEEKING ANNIE SHAW

The Lowell police have been asked to assist in locating Annie Shaw, sister of Mrs. Lottie Townsend, who is lying ill at her home, 118 Duncan st., Gloucester, Mass. It is believed that she is working in a restaurant in this city.

FEWER HOME RUNS

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Home runs from balls driven into left field at the Polo Grounds will be rarer this year. Extension of the fence in front of the bleachers in that section from 10 to 16 feet, decided upon by the Giant management, is expected to turn back many balls that otherwise could drop among the spectators.

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When you are suffering with rheumatism so you can hardly get around just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known.

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Then you'll know why thousands use CAMPHOROLE when once you spread it on your sore, tight chest or throat. You can feel it take hold and quickly break up a stubborn cough and cold in the throat and chest.

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Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist. Apply a little in the nostrils and get instant relief. Millions endorse this remedy known for more than 60 years.—Adv.

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Why spend time wishing that eruption did not show on your back and arms when Resinol Ointment will doubtless clear it away entirely?

Apply freely before retiring and cover with a soft cloth. In the morning you will be surprised to note how much of the soreness, roughness and angry look has disappeared.

Resino. Soap for the skin and hair cannot be excelled. Sold by all druggists.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

COURTNEY—Died Feb. 1st at the home of the Misses Courtney, 11 Murah street, Jennie (Dunham) Courtney. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the house, and a solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SMITH—Died, February 1, at the Lowell General hospital, William Smith. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 193 Powell street, Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice, burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

O'HEARN—Died, February 1, at the home of his son, James T. O'Hearn, 47 Winthrop avenue John O'Hearn. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the house, and a funeral high mass will be sung at St. Margaret's church at 9 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

LAMBERT—The funeral of Henry B. Lambert will take place Saturday morning at 7.30 o'clock from his home, 34 By street. High funeral mass will be sung in St. Louis' church at 8.30 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Arrangements in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

ROUGHAN—Died Feb. 1, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward J. Brennan, 246 Beacon street, Mrs. Joanna Roughan. The burial will take place Monday morning in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, Collinsville, Conn., and a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church, the date to be announced later. Arrangements are under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HARRIMAN—Died at Chicago, Ill., Jan. 29, at 4700 W. Congress street, Mrs. Joslah Harriman. Funeral services will be held at Saunders' Funeral home, 217 Appleton street, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Undertaker William H. Saunders in charge.

DEATHS

BRUNELLE—The friends of Mr. Donat J. Brunelle, the well known president of the C.M.A.C., will be grieved to learn of the death of his wife, Mrs. Eugenie (Vigneault) Brunelle, which occurred this morning at St. John's hospital, after a brief illness, aged 29 years. Mrs. Brunelle was a young woman of many admirable qualities, a prime favorite in many circles in which she was wont to move, and her passing in the bloom of womanhood will be deeply deplored. Always radiantly happy she delighted in the doing of good deeds, bringing relief to the needy and alleviating distress. A splendid character of womanly virtue, intensely devoted to her home, an ideal wife and an affectionate daughter, the sympathy of a legion of friends will go out to the grief stricken husband, the parents, brothers and sisters. Her work in the new parish of St. Jeanne d'Arc was praiseworthy, her services being ever in demand, for her heart and hand were ever at the disposal of those interested in a worthy cause. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, an infant, her mother, Mrs. Alvina Vigneault; two sisters, Mrs. Ludger Ouellette and Mrs. Edouard Bellveau, and three brothers, Elphege, Emile and Philippe Vigneault. The body was removed to her home, 19 Third avenue, by Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

HARRIMAN—Mrs. Joslah Harriman, formerly of this city, died at her home, 4700 W. Congress street, Chicago, Ill., Jan. 29, at the age of 72 years and 4 months. She is survived by her husband, Joslah; two daughters, Miss Ina Harriman of Chicago and Mrs. A. W. Ott of Worcester and one grandson, Arthur E. Harriman of Lowell. The body will be brought to this city this evening and taken to Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton street.

O'HEARN—John O'Hearn, for many years a machinist in the Lowell water department, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his son, James T. O'Hearn, 47 Winthrop avenue. He leaves two sons, Jas. T. and John D. O'Hearn.

ROUGHAN—Mrs. Joanna Roughan, widow of John Roughan, and a resident of Collinsville, Dracut, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward J. Brennan 246 Beacon street. She only recently took up her home with her daughter in Lowell and during her long residence in Dracut was a member of and active in the affairs of St. Mary's parish in Collinsville. The body will be taken to Collinsville, Conn., for burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Edward J. Brennan and Mrs. John W. Brennan, and three sons, Dr. Charles M. Roughan, John J. and Thomas B. Roughan.

SMITH—Died, February 1, at the Lowell General hospital, William Smith, aged 37 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Smith, and his mother and two brothers and two sisters in Scotland. Mr. Smith resided at 193 Powell street. He was a member of Masonic bodies in Scotland; also Asa Pollard lodge, I.O.O.F., M.U., of North Billerica.

FUNERALS

MEANEY—The funeral of Michael J. Meaney took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his late home, 32 Pleasant street, and was attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Denis A. Sullivan, O.M.I.; Rev. Martin Norton, O.M.I., was deacon, and Rev. Amos Robbins, O.M.I., was sub-deacon. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Mr. Charles P. Smith. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. There were many floral and numerous spiritual offerings. The following delegation represented Camp Gen. Adelbert Ames, No. 18, Spanish War Veterans: Romeo D. Lanard, Roderick C. Ducharmin, James D. Brogan and William T. Harvey. The bearers and firing squad in charge of Major Walter Joyes were all comrades of deceased: John McBride, S.V.C.; John Shea, P. I.; Patrick J. Burns, P.C.; Frank Levier, O.D.; Frank Hotkiss, P. C., and Richard Gibbons, P.C. Committal services were held in St. Bridget's chapel, the prayers being read by Rev. Fr. Sullivan, O.M.I. Services of the Spanish War Veterans were conducted by Acting Chaplain John Shea and the officers, S.V.C. John McBride, P.C. Patrick J. Burns and O.D. Frank Levier and firing squad. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

BRASSARD—The first funeral service conducted at St. Jeanne d'Arc church, in Fourth avenue, took place this morning, when a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated for Mrs. Adeline (Traversy) Brassard. The funeral cortege left the home of a daughter of deceased, Mrs. Godfrol Blazon, 121 Gerrish avenue, at 8.30 o'clock, and wended its way to the church, where at 9 o'clock the service was conducted. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Aurelien Morell, O.M.I., who was assisted by Very Rev. J. E. Turcotte, O.M.I., of St. Joseph's and Rev. Charles Denizot, O.M.I., as sub deacon. The choir, under the direction of Telesphore Malo rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Adolphe Brassard, L. N. Milot, E. J. Larochelle and Mr. Malo. At the offertory Mrs. Antoinette Boudreau rendered Laybach's "Pie Jesu," and after the elevation Mr. Malo sang "Miserecmini Mei," while at the communion he also sang "O Meritum Passionis." As the body was being borne from the church the choir sang "De Profundis," Miss Antoinette Dion presided at the organ. The bearers were: E. A. Cantre, Roderick Deschenenux, Ucoisse Larue, Rosaire Tourangeau, Adolphe Roy and Joseph Boudreau. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery after committal prayers were recited at St. Bridget's mortuary chapel by Rev. Fr. Denizot, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

SHEERIN—The funeral of Michael Sheerin took place this morning from his late home, 80 D street, at 9 o'clock and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church, where at 10 o'clock a solemn high funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Andrew O'Brien, assisted by Rev. Charles J. Galligan, the pastor, as deacon, and Rev. William P. Drennan as sub-deacon. The choir, under the direction of Prof. Louis N. Guilbault, sang the Gregorian chant. Solos of the mass were sustained by Miss Catherine Jennings and Mr. Cornelius Calnin. Prof. Guilbault presided at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings to testify the high esteem in which the deceased was held, as well as many spiritual bouquets. The casket was borne by the following bearers, Messrs. Thomas O'Connor, Terrence McEvoys, Edward Boyle, Ralph Pizzano, Philip Connors and Arthur Neville. Interment was in the receiving tomb of St. Patrick's cemetery where the committal prayers were read in St. Bridget's mortuary chapel by Rev. Fr. O'Brien. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

SILK—The funeral of Mrs. Josephine (Sullivan) Silk, wife of Lincoln Silk, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the home of her father, Thomas Sullivan, 23 Dracut street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Columba's church where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was sung by Rev. James M. Somers. The choir, under the direction of Miss Katherine Wholey, rendered the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Miss Mary McPartland and Mr. John Flynn, Miss Wholey presiding at the organ. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes and of spiritual bouquets and an unusually large congregation was present at the mass. The bearers were Jack Silk, Percy Silk, Michael Manning, James Manning and John J. Manning. The committal services were conducted in St. Bridget's chapel by Rev. Fr. Somers and the body was placed in the receiving vault in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell and Sons.

UNDERHILL—The funeral of Mrs. Olive E. Underhill took place yesterday afternoon from the funeral church, 236 Westford street, where services were conducted by Rev. Percy E. Thomas, pastor of the First Congregational church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Geo. W. Healey.

BROPHY—The funeral of Miss Mary Brophy took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 345 Worthen street, and was largely attended. The bearers were James P. Giblin, Martin Conley, Martin Murphy, Edward Murphy, Chas. E. Dano and Jos. Galvin. The committal services were conducted in St. Bridget's chapel by Rev. Joseph Curtin. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BELAND—The funeral of Gedeon Beland, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Gedeon Beland, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 3 rear of 41 East Pine street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Jos. Albert.

MARTEL—The body of Miss Eulalie Martel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zacharie Martel, of 13 Winter street was forwarded last night to St. Eulalie, P. Q., where services will be held and burial will take place. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

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TOP ROUND SIRLOIN VEIN **STEAK** Tender and Juicy 25c lb.

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BAKED BEANS— Hot from oven, qt. 20c | BROWN BREAD— Fresh made, loaf... 8c

FANCY MACKEREL, lb. ..... 10¢

J&M BRAND — FLOUR, 1-8 bbl. bag ..... $1.19 — COFFEE, fresh roasted, lb. .... 39¢ — ORANGE PEKOE TEA, ½ lb. tin, 45¢

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Boys' Clothing Section

Boys' Overcoats, sizes 3 to 6; values to $6.50, $3.95
Boys' Mackinaws, sizes 8 to 11; values to $7.50, $5.50
Odds and Ends of Boys' Suits, broken sizes, 8 to 17; values to $6.50 ..... $3.98
Corduroy Suits, sizes 8 to 17; values to $6.50, $4.98
Boys' Union Suits, sample sizes; $1.50 value.... 79¢
All Wool Caps and Toques, colors; 75c-$1 val., 49¢
Juvenile Suits, sizes 3 to 8 ..... $1.98
Flannelette Blouses, gray only, 6 to 15 years; 59c value ..... 39¢
Gray Flannel Shirts, sizes 12½ to 14; $1.65 value, $1.19
All Wool Sweaters, maroon only, samples; $3 value, $1.50
Percale Blouses, sizes 8 to 16 ..... 65¢
BASEMENT

Shoe Department

Girls' Rubber Boots, sizes 5 to 10½ $1.98
Girls' Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2; 75c and 85c values, 59¢
Girls' Overshoes, two buckles, sizes 5 to 2, $1.98
Girls' Shoes, Goodyear sewed, sizes to 2; $3 values $1.98
Boys' and Girls' Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, sizes 5 to 13; values to $1.50 ..... 98¢
Boys' and Girls' Shoes, Goodyear sewed, sizes 9 to 13; $1.50 and $2 values ..... 98¢
Children's Rubbers, sizes 8 to 10½; 75c values, 49¢
Children's Shoes, sizes 4 to 8; values to $2, $1.29
Women's Shoes, mostly Goodyear welts, sizes 2½ to 8; values to $4 ..... $1.50
Women's Felt Slippers, sizes 2½ to 8; $1 and $1.25 values ..... 69¢
Women's Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, sizes 2½ to 6; $2 and $2.50 values $1.65
Women's Low Shoes, mostly large sizes; values to $5 ..... $1.98
Women's Shoes, black, tan, broken sizes..... 98¢
Women's Rubbers, fit any shoe; $1 value..... 69¢
Women's Rubbers, high heels, all sizes..... 29¢
Women's High Felt Shoes, broken sizes; $2 and $3 values $1.79
Men's Slippers, leather, felt, broken sizes..... 98¢
Men's High Cut Storm Shoes, warm linings, sizes 7 to 11; $5 values $1.98
Men's Shoes, Goodyear welts, broken sizes; values to $5 ..... $1.98
Men's Franklin Shoes, English last, Goodyear welt, sizes 6 to 11; $5 values $2.98
Men's First Quality Rubbers, all sizes ..... 98¢
Men's Crossett Shoes, black, tan..... $3.98
Boys' Shoes, solid leather, some JPS brand, sizes 10 to 6; values to $3 ..... $1.98
Boys' Overshoes, 2 buckles, sizes 11 to 6.... $2.39
Boys' Rubber Boots, Storm King style, sizes 11 to 2 ..... $2.98
Men's Pure Gum Rubbers, some red soles, broken sizes; $2 values $1.49
BASEMENT

Smallwares

Feather Stitched Braid, slightly soiled..... 1¢
Sta Rite Bone Hair Pins; 25c value, pkg. ..... 15¢
Sanitary Aprons; 39c value ..... 25¢
Sanitary Belts, not all sizes ..... 15¢
Scotch Knitting Yarn, dark colors, ball ..... 3¢
Embroidery Edging, colors, white; 10c value..... 5¢
Bend Not Common Pins; 10c value ..... 5¢
Baby Dimple Garters, not all sizes, pair ..... 10¢
Double Mesh Hair Nets, no gray or white; 10c value, 3 for 25¢
Safety Pins, odd sizes; 10c value ..... 6¢
STREET FLOOR

Coat and Suit Section

13 Women's and Misses' Winter Coats... $7.98
41 Plain and Fur Trimmed Coats..... $12.98
Women's and Misses' Good Coats..... $19.50
23 Plain and Fur Trimmed Coats..... $29.50
Stylish Fur Trimmed Coats..... $39.50
7 Black Coney Fur Coats $29.50
17 Velvet Dresses $11.98
Serge and Tricotine Dresses $7.98
Canton Crepe Dresses $14.95
8 Tweed Suits $7.98
10 Fur Trimmed Suits $12.50
Prunella Sport Skirts $2.98
11 Party Dresses $7.98
SECOND FLOOR

Men's Furnishings

Men's Woolen Scarfs; $1 values ..... 79¢
Men's Gray Mocha Gloves, unlined; $1.50 values, 79¢
Men's Knitted Silk Ties; 65c value ..... 39¢
Odd Lots of Men's Negligee Shirts; $1.50 and $2 values $1.29
Odd Lots of Men's Half Hose, wool and cotton; 39c value ..... 25¢
Men's Flannelette Work Shirts, collar attached; $1 value ..... 79¢
Men's All Wool Underwear, odd sizes; values to $3 ..... $1.29
Men's Undershirts, of warm jersey, ribbed, sizes 34 and 36 only; 69c value ..... 29¢

Neckwear and Handkerchiefs

Lace Collars, white, cream ..... 59¢
White Organdie Vests; with collars and cuffs.... 25¢
Bramleigh Ties, of crepe de chine..... 10¢
Odd Lot of Men's Handkerchiefs, initialed ..... 10¢
Women's Handkerchiefs, white, colored embroidered ..... 6¢

Leather and Toilet Goods

Pocketbooks and Bags, velvet and leather; $1.50 value ..... 79¢
Pocketbooks and Bags, of embossed leather; $1 value ..... 49¢
Candlesticks, pink, blue, white; $1 value..... 69¢
White Huck Towels..... 17¢, 3 for 50¢
Palmolive Shampoo ..... 29¢
Jergen's Bath Tablets..... 7¢, 3 for 20¢
STREET FLOOR

Hosiery

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, black, colors; $1 value, 69¢
Women's Silk and Wool Hose, heathers; $1.50 values $1
Odd Lots of Women's Merino Hose, black, oxford; 59c value ..... 39¢
Odd Lot of Lisle Hose, women's sizes; 29c value, 19¢
Women's Sport Hose, with clockings; $1.25 value, 69¢
Boys' Heavy Cotton Hose, black; values to 39c, 19¢
Odd Lot of Women's Fibre Silk Hose, brown and fancy colors; 69c value ..... 29¢
Infants' Hose, white, black; irregulars of 25c grade ..... 10¢
Odd Lot of Children's Hose, cordovan only; 15c value ..... 10¢
STREET FLOOR

GLOVES

Odd Lots of Chamois Suede Gloves, all colors; 75c value ..... 59¢
Odd Lots of French Kid Gloves, 2-clasp style; $2 value $1.35
Women's and Children's Wool Gloves and Mittens, colors; 50c value ..... 29¢
STREET FLOOR

Sweaters and Waists

Brushed Wool Vests $1.50
Slip-on Sweaters, colors $1.79
Heavy Knitted Sweaters; $3.98 value..... $1.98
Fancy Knitted Sweaters, all colors; $4.98 value, $2.98
Slip-on Sweaters, variety of colors; $3.98 value, $2.98
Voile, Dimity and Hand-Made Waists; values to $3.98 ..... $1.89
Shaker Knit Sweaters, extra heavy..... $3.98
5 Silk Striped Waists, dark colors; $5.98 val., $3.98
10 Jersey Coat Sweaters; $5 values $2.98
Novelty Slip-on Sweaters, choice of colors; $5.98 value $4.98
4 Matelasse Jacquettes, embroidered in silver; $18.50 value $12.50
SECOND FLOOR

Knit Underwear

Broken Lots of Women's Union Suits, odd sizes; $1.50 and $2 values ..... 98¢
Women's Vests and Drawers, heavy and fleece lined, broken sizes and styles; $1 and $1.25 values, 79¢
Children's Union Suits, odd sizes, in silk and wool; $2 and $2.50 values $1.29
Odd Lots of Children's Vests and Drawers, fleece lined; 50c value ..... 29¢
STREET FLOOR

Women's Wear Section

Broken Sizes in Camisoles, satin, crepe de chine; values to $2.50 ..... 98¢
Odd Lot of Bloomers, Vests, Drawers, hamburg trimmed; 98c value ..... 39¢
Step-In Bloomers, white, pink, broken sizes.... 25¢
White Nightgowns, slightly soiled; $1 value.... 59¢
White Petticoats, hamburg trimmed; values to $2.50 ..... $1.29
Scotch Flannel Nightgowns, sizes 18, 19, 20; $1.98 values $1.59
Percale Kitchen Aprons, medium colors..... 17¢
Odd Lot of Kimonos, long and short styles; $1.69 value ..... 89¢
Cotton Serge Skirts, navy blue; $1.69 value.... 50¢
Sateen Princess Slips, broken sizes; $1.50 value, 89¢
Extra Size Silk Petticoats, dark colors; $2.98 value $1.98
Odd Lot of Sateen Petticoats, dark colors; $1 value ..... 75¢
SECOND FLOOR

Infants' and Children's Wear

To Close, Children's Three-Piece Sets, Leggins, Sweaters, Caps, red only $1.79
Babies' White Dresses, lace and hamburg trimmed, some hand made; $2.98 and $3.98 values, $2.69
Children's Dresses, gingham, chambray, sizes 23 to 25c; 98c value ..... 59¢
Children's Velvet Tams, black, navy, garnet; 79c value ..... 29¢
Babies' Woolen Shirts, seconds, sizes 3 months to 3 years ..... 75¢
SECOND FLOOR

Corset Section

Treco Elastic Brassieres, broken sizes; values to $3.50 ..... $1.50
Children's Waists, in odd sizes; 50c value..... 39¢
Bandeaux, sizes 40 to 44; 50c value ..... 39¢
Deering, Voque, La Resista, Nemo Corsets, broken sizes; $5 values $2.50
SECOND FLOOR

TO ATTEND MONADNOCK LODGE MEETING

District Deputy Grand Master John S. Johnson and suite of Lowell will attend the meeting of Monadnock lodge, I.O.O.F., in Lawrence, next Wednesday evening. Other lodges have been invited to send members and Haverhill will also be well represented. The first degree will be worked on several candidates at the Monadnock meeting, the degree staff being under the supervision of Minot B. Kent, degree master.

TEXTILE WORKERS' CONFERENCE BOARD

The next meeting of the New England conference board of the United Textile Workers of America will be held in Fall River on Sunday, February 18, and several Lowell delegates will attend. The topic of discussion at the meeting, it is said, will be the proposed demand of a 29 per cent increase in wages for both the cotton and woolen mill operatives of New England, which has been left in the hands of the president general of the United Textile Workers of America, Thomas F. McMahon. At the meeting plans will be made to sustain the president in his demand and once the fight is started, to carry it out to a finish. The Lowell delegation will be headed by John Hanley, president of the Lowell Textile Council.

FIRE CHIEF ASKS FOR SALARY INCREASE

Edward F. Saunders, fire department chief, has made a provision in his 1923 estimates, for an increase in his own salary from $3000 to $3500. His department will come to the attention of the budget and audit commission tomorrow, along with the police and charity departments.

The fire chief is the third department head to seek more money in 1923, the other two being the city solicitor and city treasurer.

BIG CROWD AT BENEFIT DANCE

Despite the inclement weather and the big winter carnival at Fort Hill park, there was a large attendance at the dance and concert conducted in Associate hall last evening for the benefit of strikers of the Boston & Maine carshops. The affair was conducted under the auspices of the federated crafts of the B. & M. and the receipts of the evening were very substantial.

In the early part of the evening concert numbers were given by the orchestra and later general dancing was started and continued till a seasonable hour. During intermission there were very enjoyable vocal selections by Frederick Cummings, Charles Clancy, John McArdle and James Jones. The committee in charge of the event consisted of John Delaney, chairman; Robert Holmes and Thomas Hogan.

DEMONSTRATION BY Y. W. C. A. GYM CLASSES

The mid-year demonstration of the gymnasium classes of the Y.W.C.A. was held there last night at 8 o'clock. About 600 members and interested friends were present to enjoy the entertainment and were well rewarded for the exhibition was the best of its kind ever put on there.

Following the exhibition the floor was cleared and dancing enjoyed by all who felt thus inclined.

The program was as follows:

PART 1

Opening March.....Children's Classes
Flag Drill .....Juniors
Swedish Dance.....Intermediates
Indian Club Drill.....Y.W.H.A. Class
Spanish Dance.....Eva Turcotte
Dumb Bell Drill.....Intermediates

PART 2

Bo-Peep .....Phyllis Grant
Elf Dance .....Juniors
Dance of the Rose Buds.....Juniors
Marching Tactics..... Adults
Drill ..... Adults
Irish Jig .....Intermediates
Wood Nymphs .....Intermediates
Dutch Character Dance..Intermediates
Little Waltz .....Anna Hebert
Games:
Liberty Bat Ball..... Adults
Bear Relay.....Juniors
Trio Waltz,
Alice O'Brien, Elizabeth Joyce and Laura Edmonds.

YOUTHFUL BURGLARS SENTENCED TODAY

Found guilty on seven counts of breaking and entering and larceny, Frank Bocki, 14, and Charles Malinski, 16, were sentenced to the Shirley and Lyman schools, respectively, by Judge Enright in the juvenile court this morning. The two youths were arrested about a week ago and appealed the sentences imposed at that time. While out on bail, they continued their activities and were re-arrested for breaking and entering in the night time last Monday.

LOYAL VICTORIA LODGE

A largely attended meeting of Loyal Victoria lodge, I.O.O.F., M.U., was held last evening in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. Noble Grand Mabel Panton occupied the chair and routine business was transacted. Plans for a fair to be held in the near future were made and a committee was appointed to look after arrangements.

BLOCKADE OF RUHR COMPLETE

DUESSELDORF, Feb. 2.—(By the Associated Press) The blockade of the Ruhr valley from within was absolutely complete today. Not a single ton of coal or coke has entered Germany from the Ruhr in the last 36 hours, the French authorities announce, adding that the measures they put into force at midnight of Jan. 31 are totally effective.

The Germans show no disposition to contradict the French as to the general effectiveness of the blockade, but they relate how one train of 46 loaded coal cars, disregarding all signals, ran the blockade at Horde, near Dortmund, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and escaped into interior Germany.

The French have 75's commanding every line into Germany and the directors of the railroads have been informed that any locomotive attempting to escape will be fired upon. Inquiries addressed to the French authorities as to why they have not resorted to the simpler way of tearing up a few hundred yards of track along the occupied frontier of the Ruhr, elicited the reply that they did not wish to interfere with other traffic for the present than exports of coal and coke and are desirous of giving the railwaymen full opportunity to resume work.

The strike at Cologne also seems to be petering out. The Duesseldorf station was opened this morning for the first time since Jan. 25, but only a small percentage of the scheduled trains were running.

General Payott, the French quartermaster-general, told the correspondent the French army service supplies were operating efficiently.

The tobacco dealers and manufacturers in the valley have been instructed by the French authorities they must pay the tax on tobacco at Essen or Duesseldorf, disregarding Berlin's orders to remit direct to the capital.

The chief of police of Bochum was arrested and expelled this morning.

The Duesseldorf Nachristchen, which was suspended Jan. 24, will be allowed to resume publication tomorrow.

LOWELL MASONS ON COMMITTEES

Prominent Lowell Masons are members of active committees handling the convention of the National League of Masonic clubs, to be held in Boston, June 11 to 16. Governor Channing H. Cox, Lieut.-Gov. Alvan T. Fuller and Secretary of State Alonzo Cook have been chosen members of the honorary finance committee for the convention.

Other members include W. L. Terhune, chairman; Leon D. Abbott, Arthur D. Prince, Henry C. Dexter, Harry G. Pollard and other well known Masons.

OPEN TONIGHT **C. H. WILLIS** OPEN TONIGHT
KEARNEY SQUARE

SPECIALS TONIGHT, 6 TO 9
Florida Strawberries Received Daily

SMOKED SHOULDERS
Lb. ..... 10¢

MILK FED VEAL
Forequarters ..... 10¢
Short Legs ..... 18¢

MUTTON
Forequarters ..... 12½¢
Short Legs ..... 22¢

Fresh Native Capons.....43¢

Rib Lamb Chops.....25¢

CORNED BEEF
Thick Rib ..... 12¢
Fancy Brisket ..... 13¢

PORK
Rib Roast ..... 12¢
Pork Butts ..... 14¢

SALT RIBS
Bright Red ..... 12½¢

BEEF LIVER
Western—Lb. ..... 8¢, 2 Lbs. 15¢

ARMOUR'S STAR HAMS
Lb. ..... 23¢

— Special —
SMYRNA FIGS—
HALLOWEEN DATES— 12½c

PORK SAUSAGE
Our Own Make—Lb. ..... 20¢

FAIRBURN'S MARKET
PHONE 188-189 LOOK FOR OUR ELECTRIC SIGN 12-14 MERRIMACK SQUARE

FRESH AND FANCY **PORK**
Heavy, but lean, lb. .... 13¢
Light Lean Loins, lb. .... 18¢
Fresh Shoulders, lb. .... 15¢
Boston Butts, lb. ..... 22¢

GENUINE SPRING **LAMB**
Short Cut Legs, lb. ..... 30¢
Forequarters, lb. ..... 19¢
Plump Loins, lb. ..... 28¢
Choice Lamb Chops, lb... 35¢

FINEST QUALITY STEER **BEEF**
Sirloin Roasts, lb. ..... 35¢
Fcy. Rib Roast, lb. 15¢, 25¢
Chuck Roasts 12¢, 14¢, 18¢
Lean Pieces, lb. 10¢, 12¢
Boneless Pot Roasts, lb. 12½¢

FINEST CUTS OF STEER **Steaks**
Sirloin, lb. ..... 45¢, 55¢
Top Round, lb. ... 35¢, 40¢
Vein, lb. ..... 30¢, 35¢
Bottom Round, lb. 23¢, 28¢
Rump, lb. ..... 50¢, 60¢

NEW BUNCH **CARROTS**
3 Bunches for ..... 11¢

RED RIPE **STRAWBERRIES**
Basket ..... 48¢, 55¢

MAINE WHITE **POTATOES**
Full 15 lbs. pk. ..... 22¢

NEW YORK HEARTS **LETTUCE**
Each ..... 10¢

FRESH MUSHROOMS, 65c Lb.

FRESH KILLED **POULTRY**
Fancy 4 lb. Fowl, lb..... 37¢
Fancy 5 lb. Fowl, lb..... 39¢
Fancy 4 lb. Chicken, lb. 39¢
Fancy 5 lb. Chicken, lb. 42¢
Fresh Turkeys, lb. ..... 55¢
Special Small (3 lbs.) Fresh FOWL, lb. ..... 29¢

Butterkist POP CORN 5¢ and 10¢
HOT BAKED BEANS 25¢ Qt.
WHOLE JUMBO P-NUTS 29¢ Lb.
Fresh Assorted Chocolates 33¢ Lb.
Mild Cured BACON By the Piece 25¢ Lb.
Small Smoked Shoulders 14¢ Lb.
Special POUND CAKE 55¢ Loaf
LEDA BRAND COFFEE 39¢ Lb.

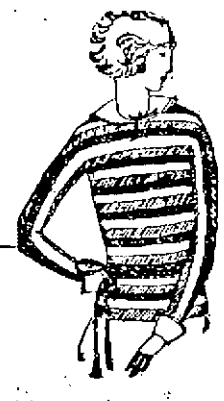
Supreme Milk BREAD ..... 10¢
Large Cream DO-NUTS, doz. 18¢
Large Frosted SPONGE, each 28¢
Whipped Cream PIES ..... 49¢
Whipped Cream HORNS.... 7½¢
Special for Friday and Saturday
WHIPPED CREAM on GINGER BREAD, Loaf ..... 19¢

Large, Juicy, Florida Oranges, Doz. 59c

Fresh Creamery **Butter, lb. 55c**

Large Brown EGGS 35¢ Doz.
Pure LARD 15¢ Lb.
Whole Milk CHEESE 35¢ Lb.
Strictly Fresh EGGS 58¢ Doz.
BAKER'S COCOA 22c Value 19¢ Can
Buy the Case COOKIES Nat. or Sunshine. Wholesale Prices
Santa Clara PRUNES 2 Lbs. 25¢
"Glass Jar" Brand Baked Beans, 15c val. 10¢ Can
Campbell's SOUPS 10¢ Can
Old Dutch CLEANSER 2 for 17¢
Takhoma BISCUITS 4 for 19¢
Choice Red BEETS 19c value 15¢ Can

Open Friday Nights —— Low Prices



Slip-On **SWEATERS** and Tailored **BLOUSES**

Always popular because of their nattiness and simplicity. Can be worn on practically every occasion. Also quite popular with the school miss.

Today we mention slip-ons in both Tuxedo and Peter Pan models—worn very effectively with either voile or dimity blouses that have trimmings of tucks, frills, lace, etc. Some are in plain colors, others in combination of colors. These are—each **$1.95**

Second Floor

From one extreme to the other, the **New Hats** range the mode.

Large hats, small hats, hats saucy and hats demure—of silk, satin, fabric or braid—in high shades or subdued—as well as a host of charming combinations of two materials and colors.

Whatever your type, there's the right hat here for it. Prices

$4.50 to $10.00

Palmer Street Store

FOOD SALE TODAY—ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store for Thrifty People

FOR FEBRUARY COAT BUYERS
All Wool Knit Mixture COATS

For wear now and early Spring—$37.50 values
MARKED AT
$29.75

These coats are from a world known concern. We selected and purchased our materials at a price. Lovely soft knit fabrics, made in full length Spring coat models, half lined with a good satin. Every coat guaranteed for wear and service and for warmth without weight. In mixtures of tan, brown, cinnamon, airedale, medium grey and oxford. Sized 16 to 44.

Second Floor

THESE NEW **Riding Breeches** FOR SPORTS WEAR
At **$7.49**
In twedes, homespun and camel hair.
Also a Big Assortment of
KNICKERS
In the Same Materials.
$2.95, $3.95, $4.95
Second Floor

NEW CAMELAIR WRAP-ROUND **Sport Skirts**
— AT —
$4.95
So smart now to wear with your slip-on sweater or one of those new jacquette blouses. In all tan, tan and brown check, tan and brown plaid or blue and tan plaid. Belt measures to 32.
Second Floor

AFTER INVENTORY REDUCTIONS ON ALL MERCHANDISE LEFT ONLY IN OUR READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Fur Trimmed Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $134.50. Re-priced at $69.50, $79.50
Fur Trimmed Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $89.50. Re-priced at..... $49.50
Fur Trimmed Winter Coats—Formerly priced at $52.50. Re-priced $29.75
Poiret Twill Dresses—Formerly priced to $29.75. Re-priced at $18.75
Poiret Twill Dresses—Formerly priced to $24.75. Re-priced at..... $10.75 and $14.75
Canton Crepe Dresses—Formerly priced at $32.50. Re-priced at $18.75
Canton Crepe Dresses—Formerly priced to $24.75. Re-priced at $10.75
Children's Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $18.75. Re-priced at $9.75
Children's Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $13.75. Re-priced at $7.49
Children's Winter Coats—Formerly priced to $10.75. Re-priced at $4.95
Other Final After Inventory Reductions on Small Lots of Coats—Suits—Dresses—Fur Coats and Children's Dresses.

—— SECOND FLOOR ——

New Taffeta Dresses
To Wear Now—A $25.00 Value
$18.75
Fresh and crisp from their tissue packings. These are Spring models and are the prettiest little dresses we have ever seen. In navy, brown and black. Misses' sizes 16 to 20.
Second Floor

SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Organized German labor in appeal from Berlin to Washington asks United States congress to save Europe and world from inevitable disaster.

Strike of German rail workers has been settled and agreement is attributed to mediation of Great Britain, according to unconfirmed London Times Duesseldorf dispatch.

Pope, in letter to vicar of Rome, expresses concern over world conditions and asks special prayers to save hundreds from fresh tribulations.

Andre Lefevre, former French minister of war, tells of plot to kill Premier Poincare and Leon Daudet, royalist leader.

Price of bread advances in Paris and Bordeaux authorities seek to hold down price of flour, avoiding speculation.

Fourteen persons killed and possibly 40 injured in Mexico City street battle between trolley car strikers and soldiers guarding property.

Koenigsberg outbreaks are renewed and mob storms French consulate, smashing all the windows, London Times dispatch says.

French chamber of deputies sustains Premier Poincare 485 to 81 in request for delay of interpellations on his Ruhr policy.

Rev. Percy Stickney Grant will not be tried for heresy, Bishop Manning says in reply to New York city rector.

Tex Rickard at New York withdraws from bidding for world's heavyweight championship bout.

Senator McKellar, Tennessee, attacks proposed British debt funding plan, indicating prospective hot fight in congress over its acceptance.

Oklahoma's reputed wealthiest Indian ties up his fortune to keep it out of hands of "designing persons," Commissioner of Indian affairs announces at Washington.

John D. Rockefeller is reported much improved from bronchial trouble at Ormond Beach, Fla.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, Arctic explorer of North Pole fame, is arrested at Fort Worth, Tex., for having liquor in his possession, denies charge and attributes his arrest to wife, who is suing for divorce.

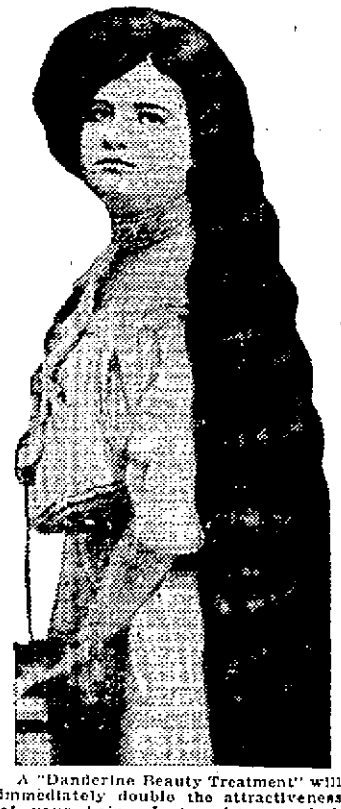
FRESHMAN BASKETBALL LEAGUE

In the Freshman Basketball league at the high school yesterday, Team 2 of Division 2 noged out Team 5 by the score of 8 to 6; Team 2 in Division 3 failed to put in appearance for its scheduled game with Team 5 and the game was forfeited to the latter; in class 3, Team 2 whitewashed Team 5 by a 7-0 count; Team 10 of the same class waved the kalsomine on Team 7 at 3 and 0; Team 7, class 1, walked away with a 15 to 0 victory over Team 4.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY HAIR AT ONCE

Try This! Hair Appears Soft, Colorful and Abundant —A Gleamy Mass

35 Cent Bottle of "Danderine" Also Ends Dandruff; Falling Hair!



A "Danderine Beauty Treatment" will immediately double the attractiveness of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and really appear twice as thick and abundant—a mass of luxuriant, glinty, colorful hair.

Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine eradicates dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is the best, cheapest and most delightful hair corrective and tonic. It is to the hair what fresh showers of rain are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, vitalizes and strengthens them. Its stimulating properties help the hair to grow long, heavy, strong.

You can surely have beautiful hair, and lots of it, if you will spend 35 cents for a bottle of Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter. It is not greasy, oily or sticky.—Adv.

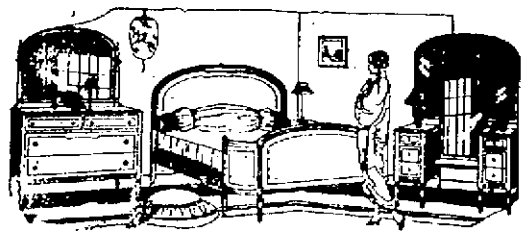
Our Annual February FURNITURE SALE

Again we prove ourselves leaders, placing within the reach of thousands of our customers the opportunity to save hundreds of dollars. Just think of it. You BUY $10.00 WORTH of merchandise, then, behold, you are entitled to a choice of half your purchase or $5.00 worth of merchandise FREE. This applies to the $5.00 sale as well as the $5000 sale. For instance, our $350.00 Living Room Suite pictured below entitles you to $175.00 additional merchandise FREE. You can furnish a bedroom with a Dresser, Chifferobe, Bed and Dressing Table, or your choice of any articles of furniture of equal value—all with your purchase of $350.00. Just see what is possible to purchase with what is given Free with each purchase.

Living Room Suites

An extremely handsome three-piece overstuffed suite, consisting of a davenport, chair and rocker with roll arms and coil spring construction throughout. Upholstered in a charming tapestry design. A wonderful bargain during our February Sale at..... $350.00

$175.00 additional merchandise Free



Three-Piece Bedroom Suites Cut!

You save on these charming three-piece bedroom suites, one of the features of our great February Sale! They include a beautiful bow-end bed, large dresser with mirror (as pictured), and a handsome full vanity, all finished in mahogany or walnut. A splendid bargain at the price of $350.00

$175.00 additional merchandise Free

Dresser

Just 50 of these Louis XVI. period dressers were found in our warehouse. We're closing them all out during our February Sale at $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Table Lamp

You'll want one of these charming table lamps for your home. They come with a polychrome base and attractive silk shade. Price cut to $10

$5.00 Add. Mdse. Free

Rugs

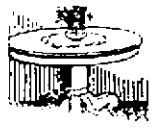
The February Sale discount saves you 20 per cent. on all rugs. The latest patterns and many attractive colors, priced as low as $35

For Tap. 20% Discount

Library Table

Our stock of these beautiful library tables goes on sale at a sensational sacrifice. They are the popular period design and handsomely finished. A great saving at $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free



Dining Table

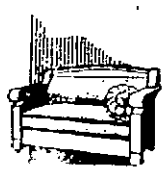
Just 34 of these handsome Colonial dining tables remain in our stock, to be cleaned out during the February Sale. Come early if you want one, as they will sell fast at this great saving Only $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Cedar Chest

Made of genuine Tennessee red cedar and complete with a bag of cedar shavings. Our price, already low, has been slashed another 20 per cent., giving you extraordinary values at only $21

$13.00 Add. Mdse. Free



Dunfold

Opens into a full size bed. Neatly upholstered and wonderful value during sale at $60

$30.00 Add. Mdse. Free

Rocker

Overstuffed tapestry rocker, with roll arms. Just a few at the sensationally low sale price of $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Kitchen Cabinet

A kitchen necessity! Built for convenience, with flour bin and unusual number of compartments. Only $50

$25.00 Add. Mdse. Free

Dressing Table

Queen Anne design, finished in mahogany or walnut, as preferred. Just 25 at the sale price of $35

$17.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Mattress

These roll edge mattresses are a rare bargain at the price of $30

20% Discount

China Cabinet

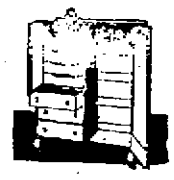
Handsome china cabinet, Queen Anna design, on sale at a straight price of $40

$20.00 Add. Mdse. Free

Baby Carriage

They'll sell like hot cakes at the cut price! A chance for a wonderful saving at the price of.. $27.50

$13.75 Add. Mdse. Free



Chifforobes

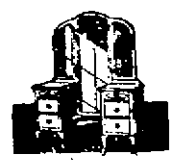
Has six drawers and full length clothes compartment. Attractively finished in mahogany. February Sale price $17.50

$8.75 Add. Mdse. Free

End Table

William and Mary design in mahogany finish. A feature of our February Sale at $10

$5.00 Add. Mdse. Free



Vanity

Done in the Queen Anne design which has become so popular. Attractively finished in walnut. Its price is... $65

$32.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Floor Lamp

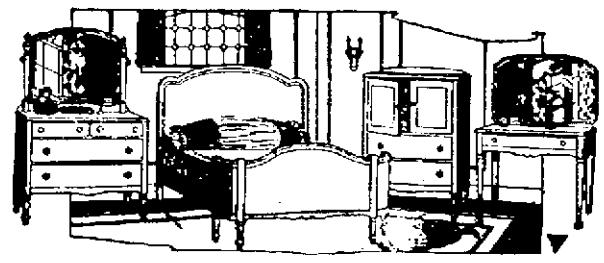
Our wonderful big stock of floor lamps with beautiful polychrome base and silk shade, goes on sale at 20 percent. off the original price. Charming floor lamps as low as.... $25

$12.50 Add. Mdse. Free

Glenwood Ranges and Heaters Are NOT INCLUDED In This Special Sale

DURING FEBRUARY WE WILL GIVE TO EACH CUSTOMER WITH EVERY

$5 PURCHASE—$2.50 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$10 PURCHASE—$5 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$20 PURCHASE—$10 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$30 PURCHASE—$15 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$40 PURCHASE—$20 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$50 PURCHASE—$25 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$60 PURCHASE—$30 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$70 PURCHASE—$35 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$80 PURCHASE—$40 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$90 PURCHASE—$45 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$100 PURCHASE—$50 ADDITIONAL MDSE FREE
$500 PURCHASE—$250 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$1000 PURCHASE—$500 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE
$5000 PURCHASE—$2500 ADDITIONAL MDSE. FREE



Four-Piece Bedroom Suites

Every bedroom suite on our floors is included in this great sale! The one illustrated includes a full size bow-end bed, large dresser with handsome mirror, dressing table and chifforette. All attractively finished in walnut or mahogany. A splendid saving at $150.00

$75.00 additional merchandise Free

All Dining Suites Included

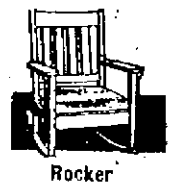
Just one illustration of the wonderful savings in dining room suites during our February Discount Sale. This handsome suite includes a large oblong table, large size buffet, 5 chairs and a host's chair finished in American walnut. Price reduced to $200.00

$100.00 additional merchandise Free

Linoleum

Great savings in linoleum during our February sacrifice Sale! Many charming designs and colors. Prices as low as per yard..... $1

20% Discount



Rocker

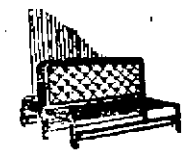
We're closing out Just a limited number of frame rockers with genuine leather seats. Extra special value at the discount price of $12

$6.00 Add. Mdse. Free

White Bed

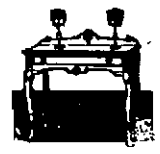
Just a limited number of these brass beds with 2-inch continuous posts. A wonderful bargain at the special price of..... $12

$6.00 Add. Mdse. Free



Sliding Couch

The famous nationally advertised make of couch, convertible by motion into a full size bed. A wonderful convenience in case of the arrival of unexperted guests. Price cut to $15



Serving Table

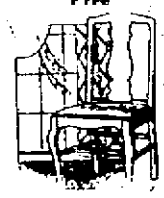
We're closing out 60 of these Queen Anne design serving tables at an unheard of price! They're beautifully finished in American walnut and an extraordinary saving at.. $15

Buffet

Come early if you want one of these handsome buffets, finished in golden or fumed oak, as you prefer. They'll sell fast at the February Sale price. Specially priced now at $45

Convenient Credit

Our convenient credit terms have shown the way to better homes to thousands of home lovers in this community. Buy now—and distribute the cost in small payments.



Dining Chair

Just 54 of these splendid dining chairs found in our warehouse, will be closed out at the sale discount of 50 per cent. Upholstered in leather. A bargain at $6.50

$3.25 Add. Mdse. Free

GEO. A. GOOKIN, Pres. FRANK W. GOOKIN, Treas. ELIZABTH L. GOOKIN, Sec.

M. F. GOOKIN CO. Incorporated

35 MARKET ST.

Opposite Police Station

ICE QUEEN

Helen Morgan, beauty queen of Canada, can maintain her charm under unfavorable conditions of ice and cold. Here she is demonstrating that bathing suits can be just as attractive in Canada as on Palm Beach in February days.

METHODS OF REVIVING DROWNING VICTIMS

S. E. Whiting, a representative of the Liberty Mutual Life Insurance company, instructed the employes of the Lowell Gas Light company as to the method of reviving victims of drowning, gas poisoning, and electrical shocks yesterday. Arrangements for the lecture were made by C. R. Prichard, general manager of the Gas company with the object that the employes might know how to act in case of emergency while at work.

Mr. Whiting used the Shaeffer method of resuscitation the method now used by the Red Cross, Y.M.C.A. and other organizations. He gave a short talk on the necessity of artificial respiration continued for hours if necessary in cases of this kind and told several instances where lives had been saved by continued effort after doctors had pronounced the victim dead.

Using one of the employes as a supposed victim, Mr. Whiting demonstrated the method. Placing the body of the supposed victim on the floor, face down, with one arm outstretched and the other hooked at the elbow and passed under the face to keep the mouth and nose from the ground, he knelt over the victim and placed both hands on the back of the body, over the floating ribs, applying pressure there at intervals of a few seconds so that air would be forced into and out of the lungs by the diaphragm. He explained that considerable pressure was necessary and should be applied regularly but not too fast. In case of drowning he said that it was necessary to lift the body by the pit of the stomach so that the feet and head were lower, and in that way help to rid the lungs of water.

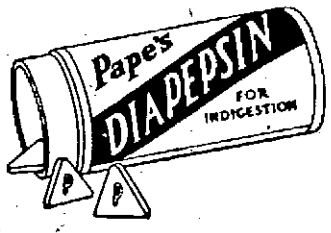
Mr. Whiting gave four lectures and demonstrations, the first at 12 o'clock to the employes of the service, maintenance and sales departments. At 1 o'clock to the workmen at the School street plant. At 2.30 at the main office in Shattuck street, and at 4 o'clock for the jobbing department including teamsters, chauffeurs, and all other workers in that department.

COACH RYDER SIGNS

NEWTON, Feb. 2.—Jack Ryder, track coach at Boston college, has signed a five year contract to continue his work. Under his guidance his teams have won two eastern intercollegiate titles and last spring tied with Massachusetts Institute of Technology in New England Intercollegiates. Many athletes of international repute have been developed by Ryder, among them Jake Driscoll, holder of the world's record for 500 yards.

ATE TOO MUCH! A FEW TABLETS EASE STOMACH

Instant Relief from Indigestion, Gas, Sourness, Flatulence



Stomach full! Digestion stopped! The moment you chew a few tablets of "Pape's Diapepsin" your stomach feels fine. All the feeling of indigestion, heartburn, fullness, tightness, palpitation, stomach acidity, gases or sourness vanishes.

Ease your stomach and correct your digestion for a few cents. Pleasant! Harmless!. Any drug store.—Adv.

Wanted

To buy, for cash, small mercantile or manufacturing business. Write T-7, Sun Office.

MOLLER'S

FURNITURE-RUGS-DRAPERIES-HOME FURNISHERS

FEBRUARY FURNITURE SALE

25% GENUINE REDUCTIONS 40%

ON PRACTICALLY ALL OUR

$500,000 STOCK

An event that STANDS OUT from all the sales of the year. Looked forward to by thousands of thrifty housekeepers and home-builders in New England.

Typical Moller money-saving bargains shown in these items, where quality reaches the highest peak and prices drop to a level unheard of for many a day. SAVE NOW

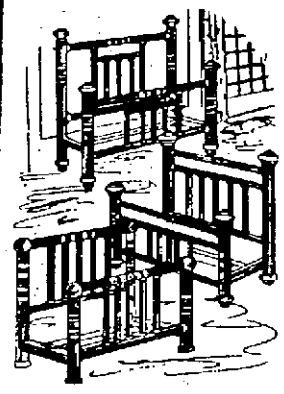
FEBRUARY SALE SPECIALS

MOLLER'S

Watch Red Tags For Real Savings

FLOOR SAMPLE BRASS BEDS

$12.00 Upwards



Exceptionally strong construction. A very large assortment consisting of all the different finishes, including many with the popular ribbon finish. All sizes. This is one of the sensational reductions of this sale.

25% to 40% off

FEBRUARY SALE SPECIALS

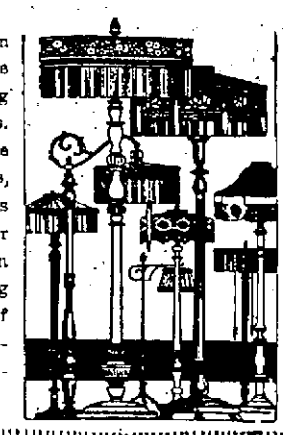
MOLLER'S

Watch Red Tags For Real Savings

All Floor Lamps Greatly Reduced

$13.50 to $85

Everything in our entire stock at big reductions. There are table lamps, bridge lamps and boudoir lamps in a bewildering variety of new materials and designs.



Large Reductions in Our Mammoth Rug Stock

Willow Arm-Chair or Rocker $9.75

Including back and seat cushions of cretonne, faced on both sides. Finished in rich dull brown.

Purchases Made in This Sale Stored Free Until Wanted

THESE LOW TERMS WILL PREVAIL DURING THIS SALE

$10 Delivers Your Purchase of **Furniture and Home Furnishings** **$100**

$20 Deposit Delivers $200
Smaller Deposits on Smaller Purchases
$30 Deposit Delivers $300
$40 Deposit Delivers $400
$60 Deposit Delivers $600
Your first deposit secures the immediate delivery of your purchase. You need not make any other outlay of cash.

Our Liberal Credit Terms

$ 1.00 Weekly on $ 75 Purchases
$ 1.50 Weekly on $ 100 Purchases
$ 2.50 Weekly on $ 200 Purchases
$12.50 Weekly on $1000 Purchases
Monthly payments if desired at relatively small payments. No extra charges.

Headquarters for Victor Victrolas and Records

Goods Delivered Free Anywhere in N. E. By Truck or to Nearest R. R. Station

Gas or Electric Lamp **$6.50**

On polished metal standard. For the living room table. Attractive sorolt work base.

SIX-PIECE DINING ROOM

Duplicate this value if you can. Six finely constructed pieces made of fine grade mahogany and includes large Buffet, Round Table and 4 Chairs. A February opportunity **$97.50**

10 Per Cent DISCOUNT FOR CASH

With the Exception of a Few Nationally Advertised Articles

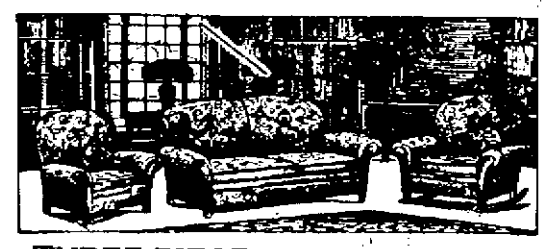
Duplicate If You Can This Unbeatable Value That Not Only Startles You by Its Low Price, But Compels You Through Quality

100 P. C. Pure Kapoc Mattress

Reduced Price **$18.50**

This mattress has usually been called SILK FLOSS.

Full 30 lbs. weight; with fine, heavy ticking, strong, durable cover; convenient size; has rolled edge. At $18.50 this mattress is among the best values shown any time, anywhere for months.



THREE-PIECE LIVING ROOM

Very attractive and low priced is this finely patterned Tapestry Suite, including the comfortable Sofa, big Arm Chair and Rocker with spring back and loose cushions. Greatly reduced **$89**

NO INTEREST OR EXTRA CHARGES—ALL PRICES IN PLAIN FIGURES—ONE PRICE TO ALL

All Pieces as Illustrated

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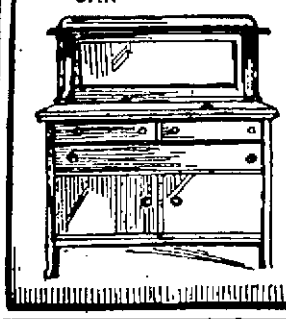
Watch Red Tags For Real Savings

Queen Anne Walnut Buffet **$30**

Finely patterned. Other fine pieces to match. A large discount from original price.

GOLDEN OAK **Buffet $17.50**



Mirror, two large top drawers, linen drawer and spacious cupboard. Low priced at **$17.50.** Other Pieces to Match at Low Prices

Three-Piece Living Room

A stunning suite, upholstered in fine pattern rich velour and having cane back on sofa and chair. Two pillows and bolster with sofa. February discount special.... **$149.50**

Four-Piece Chamber Suite

Charming two-tone suite made from good grade walnut (in combination with other excellent woods.) Bow-end Bed, extra large Dresser, Chiffonobe and Toilet Table.... **$149.50**

Three-Piece Chamber Suite

In excellent walnut. Includes bow-end bed, extra large dresser and full vanity case, chiffonier and vanity stool extra. February reduced special **$165**

Seven-Piece Dining Room

A remarkable value shown in this Walnut Suite. An oblong Table, large Buffet, Server and four Chairs with blue leather seats. Marked very low **$158.50**

All Pieces as Illustrated

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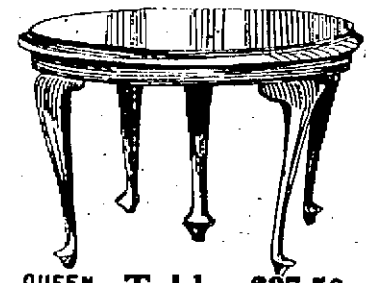
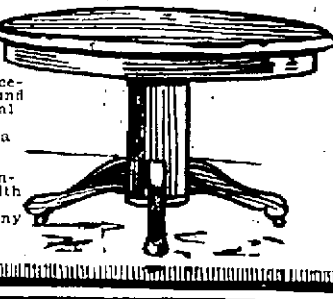


QUEEN ANNE **Table $27.50**

For your dining room, round construction and in Queen Anne style.

GOLDEN OAK **Table $15.50**



A graceful round pedestal dining table; a design that harmonizes with practically any dining room.

CLOSED THURSDAY AFTERNOONS

Cambridge and LOWELL

OPEN SATURDAY EVENING

MIDDLE STREET, AROUND THE CORNER FROM CENTRAL STREET

COUNTY COURT NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Ruth R. Keep, of Lowell, has filed a petition asking that she be granted separate support from her husband, Howard S. Keep, of Boston. She alleges that the husband deserted her and does not provide for her or her two minor children, Henry A. and Patricia.

Ellen T. O'Hearn, of Lowell, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of her late husband, Cornelius O'Hearn, who died January 19. Estate of $2071.

Charles O. Stevens, of Lowell, has been appointed administrator of the estate of his late wife, Daisy F. Stevens, who died January 21. Estate of $6000.

Alvin W. Cluer, of Lowell, has been appointed guardian of Harriet E. Stevens, 7-year-old child of the late Daisy F. and of Charles O. Stevens. The guardianship is made with the father's consent.

The will of Elizabeth P. Hamblet, of Lowell, has been filed for probate. No valuation of the estate is contained in the will, which names George W. Hamblet, a nephew of the deceased, as executor. Under the terms of the will the estate is to be converted into a trust fund the income of which is to be paid for life to Edna Maria Hamblet, a sister of the deceased. Upon the death of this beneficiary, the will provides, the trust fund is to be discontinued and what remains of the estate is to go to Clement A. Hamblet, nephew of the deceased.

The will of Margaret McCusker, of Lowell, who died January 21, has been filed for probate. Joseph T. McCusker, son of the deceased, is named as executor and sole beneficiary. Estate of $4250.

Christos Papadopoulos and his wife, Marie, of Lowell, have adopted Constantine Lazaron, 2 months old child of Vasiliki Lazaron, of Lowell. The child's name has been changed to Papadopoulos. The adoption was made with the mother's consent.

The will of the late Henry Smith, of Lowell, has been filed for probate. The will contains no valuation of the estate, $100 is bequeathed to each of the sons and daughters of the deceased and the residue of the estate goes to the widow.

Elizabeth S. Bradley, of Chelmsford, has been appointed guardian of Wildie T. and Ruth E. Bradley, her children by her late husband, Isaac L. Bradley. Estate of $1896.

ITCHY ECZEMA ON BABY'S FACE

And Head. In Fine Rash. Cuticura Healed.

"My baby began to have eczema on his face and head. It broke out with a fine rash which itched and burned, and later turned to big pimples and then to thick, white crusts. He was awfully fussy, and his face and head were an awful sight. His hair would come out in patches.

"I sent for a sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and the eczema began to get better. I bought more and he is healed." (Signed) Mrs. Geo. W. Perkins, R. F. D. 1, Danbury, N.H.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum are ideal for every-day toilet uses.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. M, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

BALTIMORE, Feb. 2.—The British steamship Manchester Merchant, went aground off Popular Island bar, Chesapeake bay, in a heavy fog today.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 2.—State officials investigating the death of John Keezer, 82, at the state hospital for mental diseases, admitted today that the aged man died from pneumonia after mistreatment and that two of the attendants, wanted for further interrogation are missing.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—A strong flood tide in the Hudson river today carried the ferryboat Montclair, heavily laden with commuters, out of control and into collision with the tugboat Walter L. Mesick. The tug sank after her crew had been taken off.

MOSCOW, Feb. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—The second note to the United States government within 24 hours, growing out of the liquidation of the anti-soviet forces in the Vladivostok district, was despatched to secretary of State Hughes by the foreign office last night.

LAUSANNE, Feb. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—After private conversations between Marquis Curzon and Ismet Pasha, the British delegates at the near east conference announced today that they felt more hopeful for the signature either to a peace treaty or protocol at Lausanne.

MANILA, Feb. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—Gov. Gen. Wood announced today that the American relief administration for Russia and the American Red Cross each had donated $5000 to aid the Russian refugees now in the Philippines.

LYNN, Feb. 2.—The cutters' and packers' locals of the United Shoe Workers of America, announced today that they had voted to join the women stitchers in seceding from that organization and joining the new Amalgamated Shoe Workers. The lasters' local recently voted to remain with the United and the smaller locals are divided in their allegiance.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Prohibition Commissioner Haynes informed Secretary Mellon during a conference today that the thing which impressed him most forcibly during his recent three weeks' inspection trip through the west and southwest, was the way federal, state and local enforcement agencies were working together.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Resolutions passed by several hundred Elk lodges asking President Harding to call a conference of nations to limit production of habit-forming drugs, were presented to the president today by a delegation of Chicago Elks.

SALEM, Feb. 2.—Ludwig Buba, Salem, was sentenced this morning in the superior criminal court by Judge Flynn to six months in the house of correction and fined $100 for manslaughter, in causing the death at Beverly on June 5, 1920, of Mary E. Collins, whom he struck with his automobile as she was alighting from a street car.

COBLENZ, Feb. 2.—(By the Associated Press) The railroad strikers in this area are returning to work. The men were repairing signals and putting the locomotives in shape today, and full train service between Coblenz and Cologne is promised for tomorrow.

MOSCOW, Feb. 2. (By the Associated Press.)—Proof that the French, together with General Simon Petlura, the Ukrainian leader and the Rumanian army, still contemplate military intervention in the Ukraine, is alleged to have been unearthed in Odessa in the discovery by the state political police of a new espionage organization.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kas., Feb. 2.—Charged with having been intoxicated and having driven recklessly a truck loaded with 80 quarts of nitroglycerine, with which he had started to the Butler county oil fields, T. M. McCharque was in jail here today.

Radio Broadcasts

STATION WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Dance music by the Shepard Colonial orchestra; selections on the player-piano and phonograph.

8-9.30 p. m.—Concert program by Mrs. Abbie Reynolds Hubbard, coloratura soprano; R. Percival Parham, tenor; Lauchland Henry, baritone; Floyd Hill, violinist; Miss Angelina Loveland, accompanist. Soprano solos, Winds of the South (Scott), Summertime (Ward Stephens), The Blue Birds Return (Lily Strickland), Miss Abbie Reynolds Hubbard. Duet, All My Life, from Martha (Flotow), Mr. Parham, Mr. Henry. Violin solo, selected, by Mr. Hill. Tenor solos, Ah, Moon of My Delight (Lehmann), Every Valley Shall Be Exalted (Handel), Mr. Parham. Baritone solos, Hear Me Ye Winds and Waves (Handel), Thou Art Risen My Beloved (Coleridge-Taylor), Mr. Henry. Soprano solos, Homage to Spring (MacFaden), Caro Nome (Verdi), Mrs. Hubbard. Tenor solos, The Sweetest Story Ever Told (Stults), The Mother Sings, Ah, Believe Me (Old English), A Red, Red Rose (Rogers), Mr. Parham. Violin solo, selected, Mr. Hill. Baritone solos, The Two Grenadiers (Schuman), I Stood on de Ribber ob Jordon (Burleigh-Negro Spiritual), Mr. Henry. Duet, O Lightly Flitting Swallows (Thomas), Mrs. Hubbard, Mr. Henry.

STATION WGI, MEDFORD HILLSIDE

3 p. m.—Reproductions by the Chickering Ampico and Brunswick. Mid-afternoon news broadcast. Continuation of musical program.

5 p. m.—Children's hour. Stories for Girls read by "Uncle Billy." Musical accompaniment by "Uncle Eddie."

5.30 p. m.—Closing report on farmers' produce market report (455 metres). Livestock markets and butter and eggs reports (485 metres).

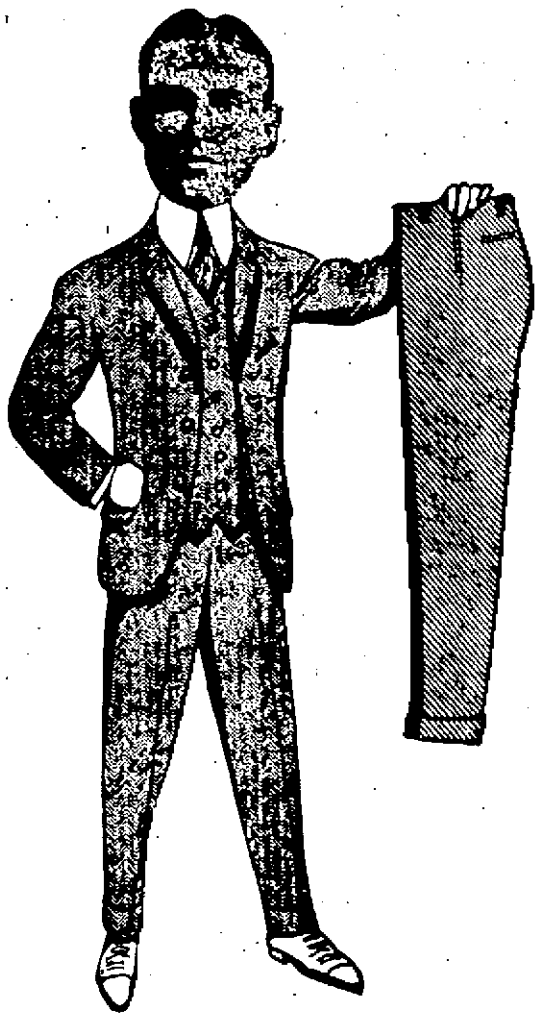
6 p. m.—Late news flashes. Early sports news.

6.15 p. m.—Code practice. Lesson No. 3.

6.30 p. m.—Boston police reports, Boston police headquarters.

9.30 p. m.—Concert by the Law Concert company of Boston, Mr. J. Harry Law, manager, composed of Mr. Arthur Bassnet, pianist, Miss Edna Felch, soprano, Mrs. Florence Gifford, contralto.

Piano Medley ..... Feist
Mr. Bassnet
Soprano Solo, Bird on the Wing, Cook-Nutting
Miss Felch
Vocal Duet, Kiss Me, Dear, Hollingsworth
Miss Felch and Mrs. Gifford
Baritone Solo, The Star of Love Is Booming ..... Ramsay
Mr. Law
Vocal Trio, Old Calico Blue..Loveday
Miss Felch, Mrs. Gifford and Mr. Law
Bass Solo, Big Bass Viol....Bohannon
Mr. Law
Soprano Solo, The Swallows, Dell Aqua
Miss Felch
Popular Songs:
a—Blue Eyes ..... Berlin
b—Where the Bamboo Babies Grow, Bernstein
Mr. Law
Vocal Duet, Awake, Dearest One, Ball
Mrs. Gifford and Mr. Law
Pianologue,
Mr. Bassnett
Novelty Song, A Summer Shower, Richardson
Miss Felch
Novelty Songs:
a—Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean, Mills
b—Laughing Song .....Law
Mr. Law
Piano Solo, Blue Bells of Scotland, Baker
Mr. Bassnett
a—College Medley .....Norworth
b—Character Solo, Uncle Joe, Gilbert
Mr. Law



Only 8 Days More

And This Mid-Winter Sale With a Reason—Not Just an Excuse—Ends

Extra Pants Free

WITH EVERY ORDER FOR A

Made to Measure SUIT

AT $24.50

And When I Say FREE I Mean It

This Sale Started Ten Days Ago

Since Then Mine Has Been the Busiest

TAILOR SHOP IN TOWN

Right after Christmas my shop didn't have orders enough to wad a shot gun; most of my tailors had to lay off. They needed the work and I wanted to keep my organization intact, so as to be ready for the Spring rush. I then decided to sell clothes at less than cost. The orders poured in. Last Friday and Saturday I sold over a hundred orders. This week I hope to do even better. This shop of ours is, I believe, the happiest shop in town. Join the fun and at the same time save fifteen to eighteen dollars on your order.

HERE'S THE REASON

The end of the year just before inventory finds me with several hundred yards of Broken pieces just large enough for a suit or an extra pair of Pants, also several ends of Plaid Back Overcoatings, some sold as high as $40.00.

The materials are All Wool and Worsteds in Fancy Silk Mixtures, Scotches and Cheviots, including Black and Blues, nothing reserved. Ordinarily these garments would cost you ten to twenty more than I price. I offer them today. My January Sale is your opportunity to secure a suit or overcoat made in your individual measure and where I have the goods for extra pants they don't cost you a penny. I incorporate all the latest styles without extra cost. You choose your own material and style of garment and I make it to fit—and guarantee that it will fit—or your money back.

Signed, MITCHELL.

Up to $30.00 To Close $14.50 — READY-TO-WEAR OVERCOATS Two Prices — Up to $40.00 To Close $19.50

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Macartney's Basement

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Boys' School Overcoats....$5.49
Boys' Mackinaw Coats....$5.98
Boys' Suits (2 Pants) $4.98
Boys' Suits (2 Pants) $7.98
Boys' Overcoats (3 years to 6), $2.98
Boys' Chinchilla Overcoats $4.98
Boys' Percale Blouses.....48c

Boys' Corduroy Pants (Full Lined) $1.85
Boys' All Wool Stockings...29c
Boys' Black Stockings, 12½c—2 for 25c
Boys' Pants ..98c, $1.48, $1.69
Knitted Caps .....48c and 55c

BOYS' UNION SUITS

55c (75c Value) 2 FOR $1.00

Men's Overcoats (Plaid Back) $14.75
Men's Suits $14.75
Men's Overcoats $19.75
Men's Suits (2 Pants) ..$17.75
Men's Overcoats $19.75
Corduroy Work Coats....$3.98

Men's Union Suits (Gray)..98c
Shirts and Drawers, each....98c
Men's Union Suits (white) $1.29
Leather Jerkins.....$3.65
Leather Mittens 35c
Percale Shirts 69c—3 for $2.00

Men's Shirts and Drawers

39c (75c Value) 2 FOR 75c

Men's Work Pants $1.98
All Wool Army Pants $1.98
Corduroy Work Pants.....$2.48
Work Pants $2.48
Heavy All Wool Pants $2.98
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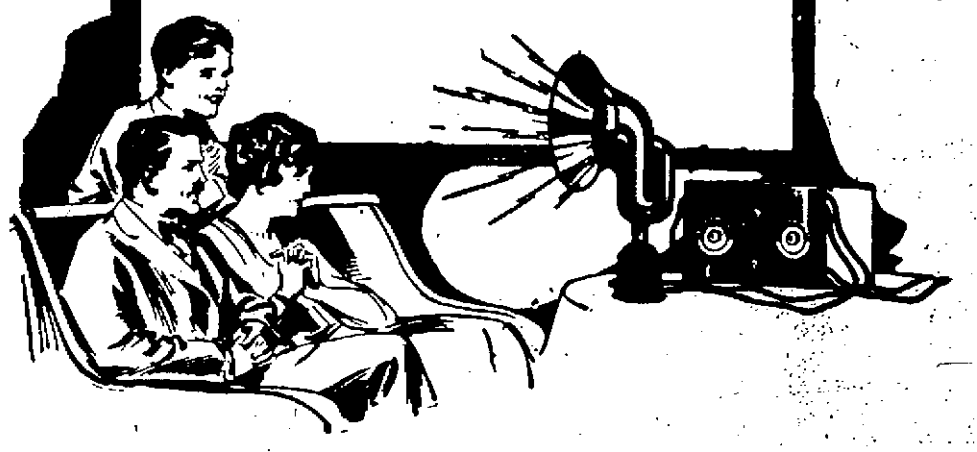

IS THIS COSTUME IMMODEST?

Police raided a theatre in the "flop-house" quarter of Chicago and charged actors with putting on an immodest show. Mary Raymond, shown here, says her costume and dance weren't immodest and she appeared this way before Municipal Court Judge Richardson to prove it. What do you think?

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ANNUAL DANCING PARTY

Big Crowd Braves Weather to Attend Pollard Co. Employes' Dance

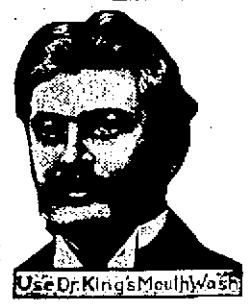
In spite of the rain which threatened to turn the down-town streets into miniature rivers, about 500 couples wended their way to the Memorial Auditorium last night to take part in the 18th annual dancing party of the A. G. Pollard Company Employes' Mutual Benefit association, and made it the biggest and best ever run by the association.

Dancing began at 8.30, after a short concert by Broderick's orchestra, and continued until 11 o'clock, when intermission was announced so that the dancers could refresh themselves with ice cream and tonic. Following intermission, dancing was continued until one o'clock this morning. The last dance before intermission was called the "Pollard Special." During the dance gaily colored balloons were carried by the ladies and added much to the beauty and the enjoyment of the evening.

Sitting in the parquet circle during the dance were Mr. Arthur G. Pollard, proprietor of the store, and Miss Martha Fuller, his niece.

The officers in charge of the dance were as follows: Joseph F. Finnerty, general manager; Winnifred Fleming, assistant general manager; J. Paul Doherty, floor director; Margaret C. Sullivan, assistant floor director; Mildred M. O'Connor, treasurer; John T. Mara, chief aid; and the following aids: Irene Prendergast, Jennie McGrath, Alice Murningham, Regina Shultz, Theresa Curtin, Lillian O'Brien, Alfred LaRose, Edward White, Paul Chevalier, Peter Finnerty, Edward Cronin, John Leary.

The reception committee was composed of the following: William Tucker and John Tully. The officers of the E.M.B.A. are: President, William G. Tucker; vice-president, John J. Tully; secretary, Winnifred Flemings; treasurer, Justin Kimball; collector, Mildred O'Connor; board of trustees, Joseph Finnerty and John Orrell.



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AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

The Pantheon Singers, with an extensive repertoire of operatic and concert numbers, hold down the top place at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. The five members of the organization touch some specially high spots during the 20 minutes they are on the stage. Pinto & Boyle, who deliver comedy, have given audiences all they could well wish. They are exceptionally facile laugh-causers. Then there are Williams and Taylor, toe tappers of speed and originality, while Bob Anderson and his polo pony present the best equine act seen here in many years. Walmsley & Keating have a comic turn which is diverting, and Fridkin & Rhoda are eccentric dancers with a style of their own. The comedy and juggling of Rich Hayes, the lazy clown, are pleasing.

RIALTO THEATRE

Two good productions feature the week-end program of the Rialto theatre for Friday and Saturday. The program has George Larkin and Jacqueline Logan in "Saved by Radio," and the other attraction introduces Pete Morrison in "Better Man Wins." There is also a comedy and the Rialto News Review.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Only a few opportunities remain for Lowell people to see "Clarence," the noted Booth Tarkington play now being shown in screen form at the Merrimack Square theatre. The photoplay will close its engagement tomorrow evening. The other feature of the current program is "Anna Ascends," starring Alice Brady.

"WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER"

Cosmopolitan's big production, "When Knighthood Was in Flower," starring Marion Davies, which opens a week's engagement at the Merrimack Square theatre Sunday afternoon, is said by its producers to be the most expensive motion picture ever made, having cost more than a million dollars. Eminent art critics have given the photoplay great praise for the correctness of its settings. Europe and America were ransacked for just the right articles to reproduce faithfully the gorgeous court scenes which form an important part of the picture.

THE STRAND

Life in the metropolis, with its bright lights and sinister shadows, successes and reverses, heart aches and triumphs, are vividly portrayed in the William Fox production, "Lights of New York," which is being shown at The Strand. Notable in the cast is Marc MacDermott, who enacts the role of the stock broker who becomes a derelict after his sweetheart marries. Estelle Taylor plays opposite him.

Charles (Buck) Jones in "West of Chicago" is the other choice offering to be enjoyed.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"The Meanest Man in the World," has had an exceptionally successful week judging from the viewpoint of the box office and also from the viewpoint of the highly enthusiastic audiences. The play which was originally written by George M. Cohan for himself, is a red blooded play of American life that is especially appealing, with an actor like Arthur de Lord playing the lead. Richard Clarke, "the meanest man in the world," was originally played by the marvellous "George" and the whole action of the play is centered around the character that he made famous. Arthur de Lord with his 14 years' experience in stock delivered his lines smoothly and convincingly. Mary Ann Dentler, the clever versatile leading lady plays Jane Hudson with a sympathetic understanding that has none of the usual hackneyed character to it so common with many stock players. The audiences that are attending the performances are of the very highest class and the theatre is becoming more and more popular as a rendezvous for parties.

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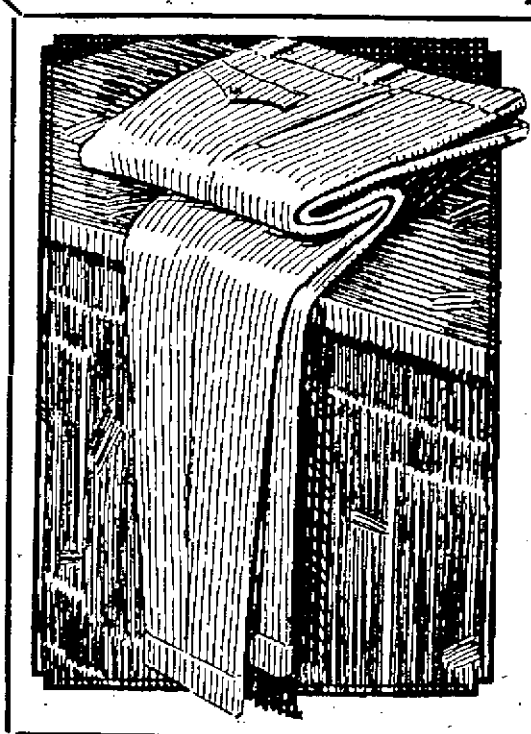

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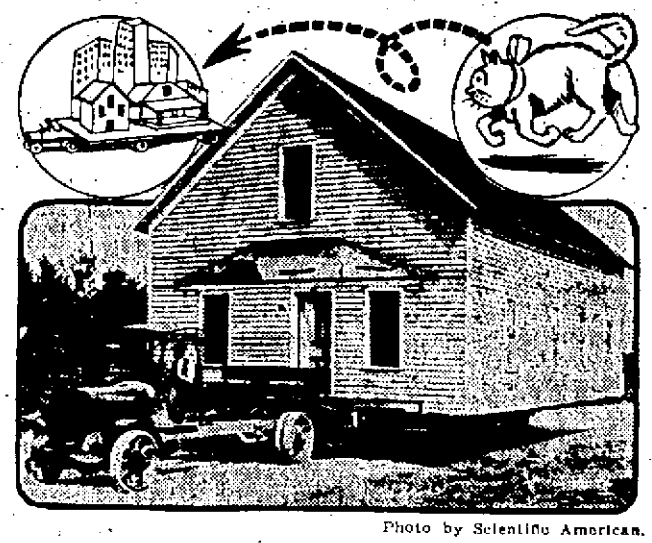

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MOVING DAY IN JENNINGS, MICH.

By N.E.A. Service.

JENNINGS, Mich., Feb. 1.—This town is being moved to Cadillac, 12 miles away, by auto truck.

Its houses are being jerked up "by the roots," placed on trailers, hauled through the heavy snows and transplanted intact. Fifty-six homes have already been moved and there are still about 20 more to go.

Little difficulty is experienced. The owners pack their furniture, lock their doors, go visiting for a few hours, and then find their homes on a new street in Cadillac.

They even find the family cat waiting for them on the front doorstep.

One cat, somewhat disturbed at seeing her home picked up and carted away, ran off.

"That night," says Eric Swanson, her owner, "when we came to Cadillac we found old tabby perching on the window sill. She had run along and followed the truck. She sure did make the old place feel like home."

Jennings was founded about 25 years ago by a saw mill company. When the timber in the vicinity was cut down it was decided to move the mills, families and houses to the new site.

This is being done on a specially constructed trailer hauled by a powerful motor truck. To support its 30 to 45-ton load a special road was built. But so far the transplanting has been carried on without any casualties—not even broken window panes.

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FILE ESTIMATES

(Special to The Sun.)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 2.—Middlesex county commissioner estimate that they will spend $1,675,500 during the year 1923 according to the county estimates filed with the legislature by Henry F. Long, commissioner of corporations and taxation.

The estimated receipts of the county commissioners are $291,319.13.

Their statement in detail follows:

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Interest	$ 5,000
Clerk of courts and register of deeds	115,000
District and police courts	5,000
Jails and houses of correction	22,000
Fines, costs and fees	15,000
Training school	6,000
Miscellaneous	1,000
Total	$168,000

Balance in treasury at closing of books for the year 1921, $153,773.65.

Less special appropriations, $10,387.-59. Less held for dog account, $49,556.37, $60,453.96.

Net balance, treasury, $133,319.72.

Estimated amount available $291,319.92

Estimated expenditures.

Interest on county debt	$ 40,000
Reduction of county debt	29,000
Salaries of county officers and assistants, fixed by law	64,000
Clerical assistance in county offices	173,000
Salaries and expenses, district and police courts	190,000
Salaries of jailers, masters and assistants and support of prisoners in jails and houses of correction	138,000
Criminal costs in superior court	140,000
Civil expenses in supreme and superior courts	135,000
Trial justices	1,000
Transportation of county commissioners	1,500
Medical examiners, inquests and care of the insane	25,000
Auditors, masters and referees	20,000
Repairing, furnishing and improving county buildings	56,000
Care, fuel, lights and supplies in county buildings, other than jails and houses of correction	113,000
Highways, bridges and land damages	325,000
Law libraries	7,000
Training school	42,000
County aid to agriculture	35,000
State Reservations (Walden pond)	7,00
Pensions	20,000
Miscellaneous	5,000
Reserve for transfer only	10,000
Total	$1,675,500

Last year the appropriation for the county was $1,319,825.43.

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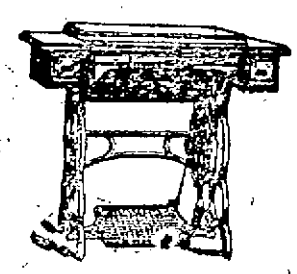

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Regular $5.98 All Silk Chiffon Velvet—40 in. wide, high lustrous soft drapery finish, about 20 yards to close out, black only. After Stock Taking Price, per yard $4.00

Regular 39c Imported Japanese Crepe—30-in. wide. About 20 pretty shades to choose from. Very good for kimonos and dresses. After Stock Taking Price, yard 29c

Regular $2.29 Duchess Satin—36-in. wide, all silk, firmly woven, high lustrous finish, in a rich jet black. After Stock Taking Price only, per yard... $1.39

Regular $2.27 Silk and Wool Canton Crepe—40-in. wide, good heavy crepe weave. Correct weight for dresses. Full line of pretty street and evening shades to choose from. A splendid value. After Stock Taking Price, yard.... $1.79

Linens and Domestics

Street Floor

Regular 39c All Linen Toweling—Extra heavy linen, very absorbent and durable. Fine for dish or roller toweling. After Stock Taking Price, yard 22c

Regular $5.00 50% Wool Blankets—Heavy double blankets, pure white, with fast color pink or blue border, double stitched muslin binding. Extra good value. After Stock Taking Price, pr. $3.85

Regular $4.45 Block Plaid Blankets—Large double bed size. Heavy twill construction. Soft nap. Chain stitch binding. After Stock Taking Price, pr..... $2.69

Regular $1.25 Double Bed Blankets—In grey only. Excellent for sheet blankets. After Stock Taking Price, each 95c

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Ladies' Silk and Satin Camisoles—Lace trimmed. Regular $1.49 value. After Stock Taking Price 88c

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Brushed Angora Wool Scarfs In brown, buff and heather mixtures. Regular $1.50 values. After Stock Taking Price, each..... $1.19

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DR. GRANT WILL NOT BE TRIED FOR HERESY

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney Grant will not be tried for heresy because of recent sermons in the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension, he was informed last night in a letter from Bishop William T. Manning.

The bishop, who had requested Dr. Grant to "recant or resign," because of his professed doubt of the deity of Christ, said he would let the matter rest for the present, because the pastor, replying to the request, had not made clear whether he really doubted Christ's deity or not.

"You are not brought to trial because your letter in response to mine is vague and ambiguous, instead of clear and explicit," the bishop wrote.

"You have, by your utterances, caused grave doubt in the mind of the church at large as to your belief in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ. You have been given an opportunity to remove this doubt, but you have not done so. You have made your reply to me in words that fail to make clear your belief in this essential truth. There, for the present, the matter rests."

Of the threatened heresy trial, Bishop Manning said:

"Even though the faith of the church may virtually be denied and doubt cast upon her most essential belief, a court ought to be convened only when this denial is in terms that are clear and free from ambiguity."

"The real issue which you have raised by your own utterances," wrote Bishop Manning, "is whether you believe that Jesus Christ is Lord and God for if you do not so believe, it is plain that you cannot with self-respect, or with freedom express your real convictions, or continue to hold your place as a minister of a church whose whole life and teaching is founded on this belief.

"It is this faith in the Lord Jesus Christ which you refrain from clearly expressing in your letter. You rather confirm the impression that you do not so believe, but you do not say so plainly and definitely. The terms in which you express your faith in Christ are all of the terms which may be used, and are in fact used, by teachers who definitely deny his deity. There is no statement in your letter which indicates any belief n your part in Jesus Christ, the eternal son of God, the second person of the Holy Trinity.

"The suggestion that young men of intellect and vigor will be repelled from the ministry if they are required to believe the faith of the church is irrelevant. No one can, with honesty, enter the ministry of this church unless he believes in Jesus Christ as God. Full belief in the gospel of Christ does not repel young men if they are Christians. What may well repel young men of high character and sound mind is any doubt to the sincerity with which the ministers of the church believe and teach the gospel which they have pledged themselves to teach.

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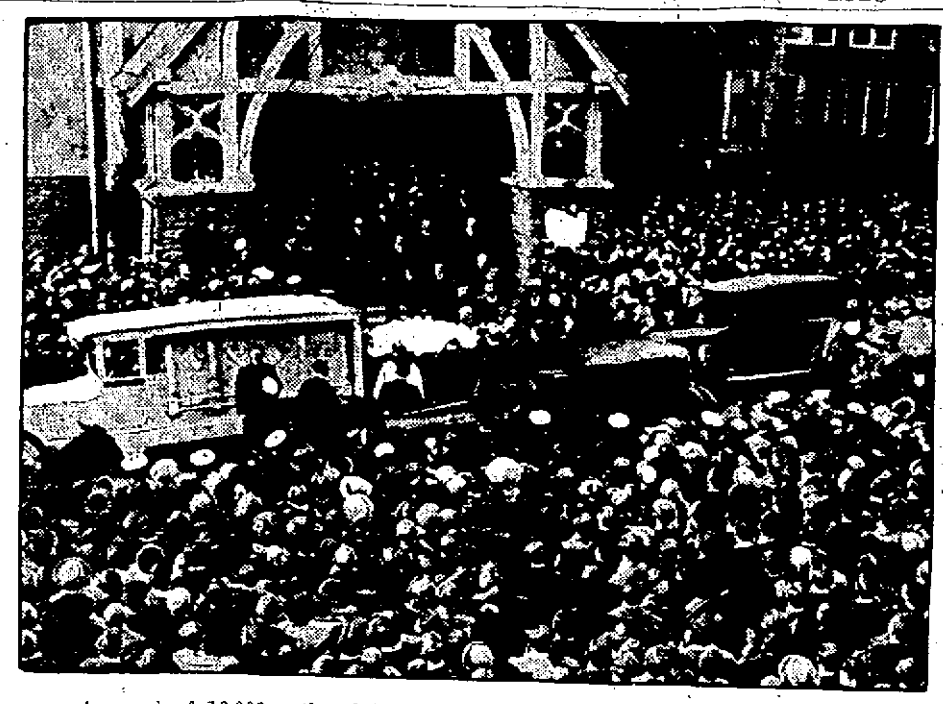

A crowd of 10,000 gathered in Los Angeles streets to witness the funeral of Walace Reid, screen star. The picture shows part of the throng as the body was brought to the church before its cremation.

HONOR FOR LOWELL BOY AT HARVARD

By virtue of distinguished work in his studies, George K. Spyrounes of Lowell, a second-year student in the Harvard medical school has won a scholarship in the recent award made by the university authorities.

Of 60 scholarships assigned in this award, 38 went to men in the medical school. This is the second large award made by the university this year. The total value of financial aid available yearly to meritorious students at Harvard university amounts to over one hundred fifty thousand dollars.

WILL ATTEND THE "KNICKER" DANCE

Members of the Girls' City club will meet in the Howe building at 8 o'clock this evening to arrange for attending the "knicker dance" at the Auditorium.

Next Tuesday evening the etiquette course under Miss Alice E. Sullivan, will begin, the first lesson being the A, B, C of table manners. The executive board of the club will meet next Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

An enjoyable birthday party was given January 31 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. MacMaster of 121 Hastings street, to Miss Etta Fineral in honor of her 20th birthday. She was presented many beautiful presents. A very pleasing program was given, consisting of a dance and recitation by Miss Hazel MacMaster and a dance by Miss Margaret Nobel. A buffet lunch was served after which games were played. The party broke up at a late hour wishing Miss Fineral many happy birthdays.

TELLS RHEUMATICS TO BEGIN ON SALTS

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A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion are nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation; then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases, which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate sour food, belch gas or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief often follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making mass, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

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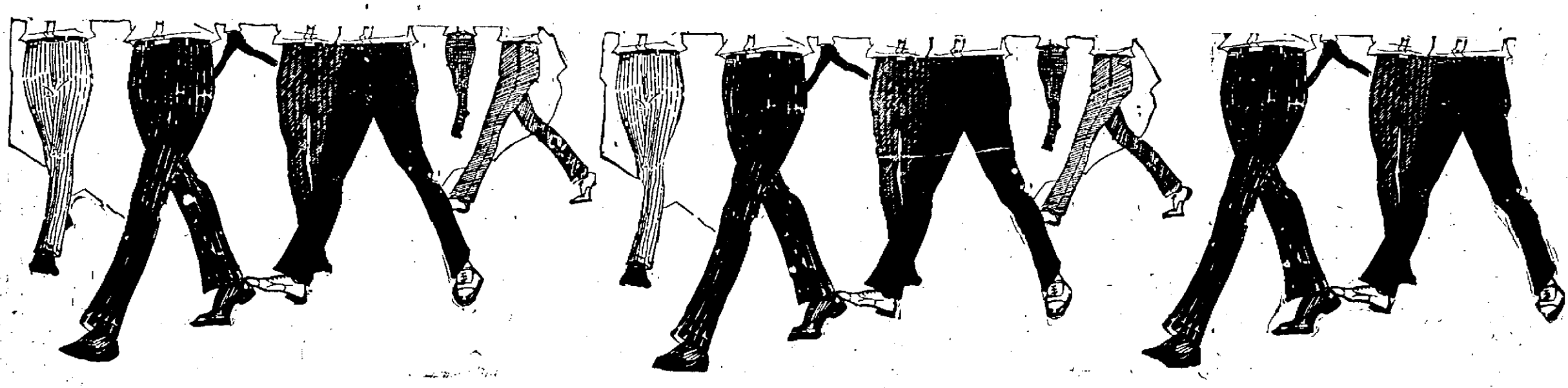

U. S. ARMY RESERVE UNIT

Military Reserve Organization Will Include Many Members From Lowell

Able-bodied Lowell citizens with patriotic military leanings are still prepared to respond to their country's call as of old, and are keeping in trim shape and training faithfully to meet all of war's alarms.

The 389th Field Artillery regiment (155-m. howitzer), Eleventh corps, U.S.A., is one of the fastest-growing organizations of the United States Army reserves and contains the names of many active and well known military men living in Lowell and vicinity.

The authorized strength of the regiment is 84 commissioned officers and approximately 1750 enlisted men. The idea of the present organization as outlined and supported by corps headquarters officials, and which consists of only reserve officers, is to have the officer personnel of the regiment assigned to different units and batteries and in case of a national emergency, the regiment will be filled with the enlisted personnel, by means of the draft.

There are at the present time vacancies for nine captains and 15 first lieutenants. Former officers of the World war have the preference. They must be in good standing within the community and will be appointed without examination. Former officers will receive due consideration by calling or writing to Major Francis J. Tookey, Coast Artillery Corps, U.S.A., 308 Hildreth building, Lowell.

The following named reserve officers of the 389th Field Artillery regiment from Lowell and vicinity are already assigned to units as follows:

Stanley Alfred Foster, captain, headquarters battery; home address, 251 Foster street, Lowell.

Jackson Palmer, first lieutenant, service battery; home address, 129 Fairmount street, Lowell.

Frederick French Spaulding, first lieutenant, first battalion, headquarters and headquarters battery; home address, 1016 Middlesex street, Lowell.

Maurice Joyce Curran, second lieutenant, regimental headquarters; home address, 150 Main street, Andover.

James Francis O'Donoghue, first lieutenant, Battery B; home address, 20 Columbia street, Lowell.

James Francis Conway, second lieutenant, Battery F; home address, 113 Wentworth avenue, Lowell.

Adelard Joseph Fortin, second lieutenant, Battery B; home address, 43 Plymouth street, Lowell.

James Henry Gilbride, second lieutenant, Battery B; home address, 14 Porter street, Lowell.

William Dawson, second lieutenant, Second battalion headquarters and headquarters battery; home address, 96 Lowell street, Lowell.

Robert Leroy Jones, major, medical officer; home address, 313 Nesmith street, Lowell. (Regimental surgeon.)

Frederic Florence Donahoe, first lieutenant dental, medical officer; home address, Sun building, Lowell. (Regimental dentist).

Reserve Officers

The following named reserve officers will be assigned to the 389th Field Artillery regiment, Eleventh corps, in the near future:

Joseph Aloysius Molloy, captain; home address, Yorick club, Lowell.

William Francis Ryan, captain medical; home address, 219 Central street, Lowell.

Daniel Frederick Conlon, Jr., first lieutenant; home address, 451 Lowell street, Lawrence.

Daniel Paul Brennan, second lieutenant; home address, 775 Broadway, Lowell.

Richard Dennis Donoghue, second lieutenant; home address, 162 Pine street, Lowell.

Stephen Curtis Garrity, second lieutenant; home address, 150 Agawam street, Lowell.

Edward Kinane Burns, second lieutenant; home address, 54 Pleasant street, Lowell.

Young men of Lowell will be interested to know also that in this connection word comes from Boston headquarters of the New England department of the Military Training Camps' association, of which Col. Pierpont L. Stackpole is the chairman, that the New England department is the first of the nine corps areas of the country to begin active preparations for the citizens' military training camps, to be held at Camp Devens, probably during the month of August, as it was last year.

Col. Frank C. Bolles, new chief of staff of the Ninety-fourth division of organized reserve and the first training camp commander, states:—

"In my opinion an attempt to conduct these camps in such a manner as to give the students a pleasant vacation, will result in an early failure. I view these camps as one of the most forward military measures that our country has ever attempted. I believe that their preservation and continuation will go a long way toward solving our military problems and provide us in time of war with good officer material in which we were woefully lacking in wars of the past."

ANNOUNCE REDUCTION ON MILEAGE BOOKS

Lowell patrons of the steam railroads who commute very often on mileage books have something coming to them. It isn't going to cost them so much in the future for railway fares, that is, if they commute frequently and use mileage books.

Orders have been received by the local offices of the Boston & Maine railroad to resume at once the practice of selling interchangeable mileage books good for 2,500 miles of travel at reductions of 20 per cent from the regular passenger rates.

The Sun is informed that the sale of these books at reduced rates will begin March 15, as per orders from the interstate commerce commission. A number of small railroads have been excluded from the requirements of the order, but not the Boston & Maine or the New Haven road. It was said at the Middlesex street station ticket offices today. The reason that some of the "orphan rails" were not required to reduce fares in the above manner is because some of them are financially unable to meet such a reduction at this time. Practically all of the class 1 roads, however, must reestablish their rates and reduce fares on the mileage book "interchangeables."

SCHOOLMASTERS' CLUB

Mr. Ernest W. Butterfield, commissioner of education of New Hampshire, will address the third meeting of the Massachusetts Schoolmasters' club at the Boston City club on Saturday, Feb. 3, at one o'clock.

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POLICE ARREST ALLEGED KLANSMEN

Eight alleged members of the Ku Klux Klan were arrested by Brooklyn (N. Y.) detectives on charges of carrying concealed weapons, driving a car without a license, being in possession of intoxicating liquor and disorderly conduct. Detectives Gilbert, shown wearing the seized regalia of the masked order, Riley (left) and Herman made the arrests.

LEGION QUARTERS AT THE AUDITORIUM

American Legion quarters in the veteran wing of the Memorial Auditorium will be ready for occupancy as club rooms when the post holds its regular meeting there next Monday night. Adequate and comfortable arrangements have been supervised by the house committee, Michael F. Harrington, chairman, and it is expected that the rooms will provide much enjoyment for the members. A phonograph of excellent style has been presented to the post by the Washington club.

At Monday night's meeting plans for the mid-winter get-together on Lincoln's birthday anniversary will be discussed and the co-operation of every post member is needed to make the affair a success. The sale of tickets will be limited and will terminate several days before the event so as to allow the caterer to make proper arrangements.

O.M.I. CADETS

Members of the O.M.I. Cadets are requested to meet at their armory at 8 o'clock tonight to go to the "knicker dance" at the Auditorium in a body.

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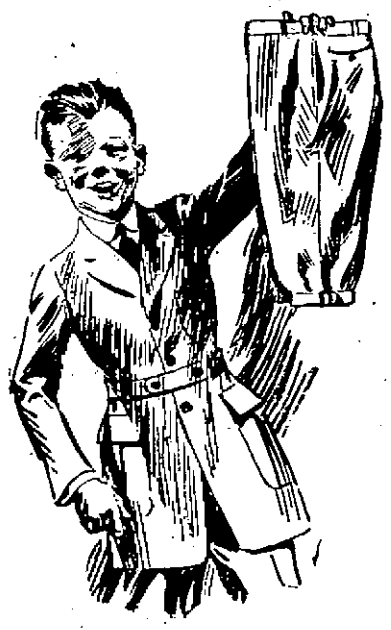

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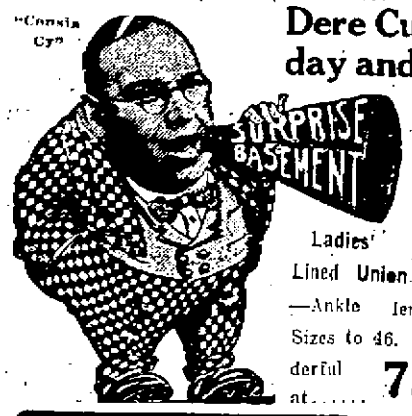

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New Standards for Teachers

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aids which the teaching profession of 20 years ago never knew of. The early teacher taught children to imitate and instruction was almost entirely oral. Then came a few text books, blackboards, better seats and better buildings and now, moving pictures, museum exhibits, phonographs, school libraries, gymnasiums and similar devices have been invented or have been given to the teacher to assist her in her work. Intelligence tests help teachers to know more in one day about their children than they could learn in weeks before by observation. Education has become very complex, the aids which have been given to assist the teacher have come to stay, and they demand that the teacher rise to new levels and heights of effort.

"A higher grade of teacher is demanded and one with better training. Today only that teacher could be considered competent who knows her students better than they have ever been known before, and as the country boy sometimes finds it impossible to adjust himself to the complexity of city life. It may be just as impossible for teachers who attempt teaching in large city school systems to adjust themselves to the complexity of education as it stands today. Now, as Massachusetts finds her teachers today, it seems to me that we, as superintendents and committeemen, must stand together on the qualifications necessary for a teacher. Either the state should establish minimum standards or the approval of the superintendent of schools should be a prerequisite to prevent unfit persons from being appointed to our school systems.

"This should be done to keep up the high standard of teachers. As to the types of teachers, there are two. One may be compared to a day laborer, and the other to a professional man. The first works wholly for the pay envelope, and I think we can all recall teachers of that sort during our school days. The other is alert, up-and-coming, well groomed and an example for her students to follow. One way to attain the latter is by living the life of the community and not of the schoolroom entirely, to indulge in all the opportunities offered by the city and state in which she lives, in music, art and culture, even to baby welfare, in order to teach broad-minded citizenship to the pupils. Many people will come forward with the excuse that the lack of physical vitality on the part of the teachers will prevent her from taking part in these social and cultural activities. If that is so, perhaps a course of physical work could be put into the schools for the teachers.

"Teachers should be encouraged to improve themselves and by that, I mean take advantage of as many summer courses as possible, taking care to go as far as possible from their home town to get this special training. Then, in my judgment, after these efforts have been made to improve themselves, is the time for teachers to ask for larger salaries, and any broad-minded school committeeman will be glad to give it to them."

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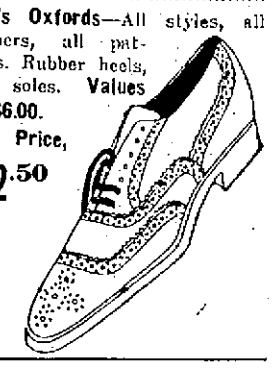

Men's Gun Metal Dress Shoes—Welt soles, English last. $4.50 value. Sale Price $2.50

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This is Groundhog Day

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wild stampede back the way he came. And before starting that winter's snooze all over again, Mr. G. Hog tied several hard knots in that tunnel that leads down to his subterranean bungalow, for he knew there were six weeks more winter ahead and Mr. G. Hog wants no miscreants trespassing down his private highway while he snoozes.

The groundhog saw his shadow today. Take the groundhog's word for it, for he knows. Every Feb. 2 he's coming out of his winter dugout to learn about the weather. If it's sunny and he sees his shadow, as he did today, he turns right back and slides into

his parking place for six weeks longer. If the day is cloudy and he can't see his shadow, the groundhog stays out of winter quarters and prepares for the early spring buds and other agrarian foods.

Ask a farmer what a groundhog is, and he'll ask you to come again. It may be all right for folks in ten-story office buildings to call 'em groundhogs, but Hank and Hi and Hen call 'em what they are—woodchucks.

And, blast 'em! If these boys of the farmlands can reach the back, shed quick enough to get that shotgun, there won't be any woodchucks scattering shadders on groundhog day or any other day—not around our farm!

If you would know the truth, the woodchuck family is detested by every man-to-man tiller of the soil in every land in the world. This woodchuck feller is a terror among the squash vines, among the young pea vines, the cucumber vines and even down in the new yellow eye or Kentucky Wonder string bean galleys.

Woodchucks are considered the greatest pests on the old farm. They hang out in holes in the wall or down in the pastures right next to the corn field. They are great boys to run races on top of the stone walls and dodge shotgun "BB" and Remington "scatterings."

If you shoot a woodchuck on the fly, you're a town hero for "chutty" days. If you shoot two woodchucks in one day—well, you can run for town constable or even selectman and stand a fair show of getting there.

Editors of country weeklies don't ever run pictures of the groundhog or write any stories about 'em. If any rural editor ever disgraced himself by attempting to crack any jokes about Mr Groundhog, or even mentioning his regular name—woodchuck—in the rural news columns, he'd lose a lot of subscribers.

In other words, don't ever mention woodchucks in any manner at all when you converse with a man of the soil. Woodchucks are taboo now, tomorrow and always, and it won't do to speak anything but harshly of them on groundhog day.

Regrets of course follow us as we travel along life's highway. In the city, the sunshine today was a sad token of the days to come. Listen:—

Six more weeks of hard winter mean that the girls won't be able to don summer furs for forty-two days!

Imagine that, boys!

Opening page 47 in our animal history, Vol. 2, we learn that the idea of "Groundhog Day" seems to be of German origin. In Germany, however, it was the badger that foretold the weather February 2. The Yanks who went across some years ago did a lot of badger-chasing, you remember.

They believe that the weather on February 2 predicts warm or cold weather for six weeks to come dates back to the fifth century, when the festival of Candlemas was established.

Turning another page of history written by another observing gentleman, and we read:—

"On this day, in the winter of 1716 the first week of February found snow drifted 25 feet deep in some places. Cattle were buried in the snow, where they smothered or starved. Many a one-story house was entirely covered by the snow, and even the chimneys could not be seen."

Let's look up another chapter in a volume referring to weather happenings in February, 1740:—

"The Merrimack river was closed by the extreme cold. From 20 to 40 ox-teams passed down the river, using the ice as a thoroughfare daily from Amesbury to Haverhill."

Arctic overshoes were patented 65 years ago this month—not the unbuttoned, flapper kind with the moss-covered tops, but the regular galoshes.

That winds up The Sun's annual groundhog story.

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PLENTY OF GENUINE BABY LAMB
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ADMIRAL SIMS HITS KLAN

Two on Platform Had Spoken at K. K. K. Meeting—Raps Curley

BOSTON, Feb. 2—"Of the various minority groups that are trying to get control of the government, the nastiest, the most pernicious and most cowardly is the Ku Klux Klan, which acts as judge, jury and executor, but with faces masked," said Admiral William S. Sims, U.S.A., retired, last evening at the Loyal Coalition's "Patriotic Meeting" in Symphony hall.

And almost at his elbow sat F. Eugene Farnsworth, president of the Coalition, and Telfair Minton, one of the most active of its members, each of whom spoke at a Ku Klux meeting in North Cambridge a few months ago.

Mr. Minton, who had called the meeting to order last evening, and Mr. Farnsworth, who was presiding and had just finished a highly laudatory introduction of the admiral, smiled rather feebly during the admiral's excoriation of the Ku Klux.

The admiral said further in regard to the Ku Klux: "Their methods permit any criminal to commit murder, for how can one tell who is a member of a klan if he has a pillow slip over his head?

"They can be suppressed by law, by making it a crime to wear a mask, or by providing an open season on all masked men and if necessary offering a bounty for their ears as was once done for the ears of wolves."

What the admiral said about the Ku Klux was received with considerable laughter by the audience.

Curley's Name Hissed

In the beginning of his talk Admiral Sims referred to Mayor Curley's refusal to attend the meeting. Mention of the mayor was received with some hissing and some groans.

"He declined to sit on this platform with a Benedict Arnold—that's me," said the admiral. "I think very few in this audience really believe that His Honor believes a word of what he said in his letter."

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HUMANE SOCIETY HAS ANNUAL MEETING

The board of directors of the Lowell Humane society held their annual meeting this afternoon at their quarters on Appleton street at three o'clock. The secretary's and the financial committee's reports were read and plans for the coming year's work discussed.

The officers of the society are as follows: President, George Stevens; secretary, Mrs. Frank E. Dunbar; treasurer, Ivan O. Small; agent, Chas. F. Richardson. The financial committee is composed of the following: Frederick P. Marble, C. H. Preston, and Ivan O. Small.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOLD OPEN HOUSE

The new Knights of Columbus home in Dutton street was thrown open to the public today and a great number of people, it is expected, will have inspected the building ere the closing hour tonight. This morning a number of visitors called but the fine weather this afternoon attracted a very large number and all were deeply impressed with the interior of the home, its appointments and its fine hall. Grand Knight Hart, Secretary Philip Breen and other officers and members were on hand to escort visitors about.

This evening there will be a dance in honor of the lady friends of the council, and those who desire may inspect the building at that time.

LOWELL Y. W. C. A. TO MEET LAWRENCE

The Lowell Y.W.C.A. basketball team will meet the Lawrence Y.W.C.A. team in a return game at Lowell tomorrow evening and will seek revenge for the defeat they suffered from that team two weeks ago. At that time Lowell was handicapped by having to use two substitute players but it is believed that the whole first team will go into the game tomorrow and the defeat of Lawrence by a large score is expected.

After the game the hall will be given over to dancing and a good orchestra will be furnished for this part of the evening's entertainment.

ENTERTAINMENT IN AUDITORIUM

Plans are progressing rapidly for the entertainment to be given in the Memorial Auditorium next Monday evening under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women. The program will include fancy dances to be given by the pupils of Miss Charlotte Green. In which 60 or 70 talented young dancers will appear; also old time songs by the audience. The league extends a special invitation to men. No admission will be charged.

FINED AND SENTENCED IN LIQUOR CASE

Donabed Harzigian, who keeps a store in Central street, was found guilty of illegal keeping in the district court this morning and ordered to pay a fine of $150 and be committed to the house of correction for a term of three months. He appealed and was released in bonds of $300 for his appearance in the superior court next Monday.

RADIO SET AT HIGH SCHOOL—PERHAPS

Considerable interest has been noted among the faculty and students of the high school in regard to the installation of a sending and receiving radio set at that building since the contents of a letter written to the high school commission by John A. Stevens in regard to such an installation has become known to them. Many of the students and faculty are radio fans, and to them there is nothing more interesting than a wireless telephone set, so that any plans regarding such would be very well received by them. So far as is known the high school commission has not considered this question seriously.

KNIGHTS SET DATE FOR ANNUAL BANQUET

At the annual banquet of Bishop Delany Assembly, Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus, on the evening of Feb. 12, the principal speaker will be Edmund J. Brandon, state secretary of the order, and a speaker of wide repute. Faithful Navigator Arthur J. O'Neill has appointed a live committee to arrange for the affair, which will be held in the assembly hall of the new building. Bishop Delany Assembly numbers about 400 members and it is hoped that all will be present on the evening of the 12th. The sale of tickets will close on Feb. 9.

ATHLETIC FIELD FUND GROWING

Contributions to the Lowell high school athletic field fund keep coming in to the treasurer, Edward W. Trull, whose latest report is as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$12,776.21
Mrs. Cora Sherman Randlett	5.00
Mrs. Bessie B. Higgins	5.00
Adam Bently	3.00
Thomas F. Robson	5.00
F. B. Rollinson	10.00
Freeman M. Hill	25.00
Total to Feb. 2, inclusive	$12,829.21

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TWO PRETTY TOBOGGANISTS

Photo by Donaldson

MERRY MAIDS WITH SKIS

Mid-Winter Carnival

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last night's rain. Both should be in excellent condition tonight.

Members of the Girls' City club, clad in sport costumes, preferably knickers, will leave their rooms at 7 o'clock tonight for the carnival ground. In parade formation they will march to Fort Hill, lighting their own way with torches, flash lights, lanterns and snow sparklers. Horns and whistles will announce their progress and on arrival at the park the girls will enter all races and stunts.

Mayor John J. Donovan officially opened the carnival at 2.30 o'clock yesterday when he started the first toboggan-load of young people down one of the long chutes. It carried George H. Wood, Paul Doherty, Miss Irene Matthews and Miss Bernice Moody of the Ad club committee and Harry Glasheen, secretary to the mayor, and as they shot down to the Rogers street level the carnival was on and in full swing.

All afternoon the toboggan slides were taxed to the utmost, with five and seven-passenger toboggans predominating. Rogers Hall school girls, in most approved winter sport costumes presented a colorful picture and won the distance prizes, while scores of others, old and young, add gaiety to the scene. It was a zestful, peppy crowd that entered fully into the spirit of the carnival and by their hearty participation made it such an unqualified success.

SKI JUMPER IN ACTION

The snow was too soft to allow for competitive ski jumping, but a number of youngsters could not resist the lure of the sport and raced down the slide time after time.

In addition to the toboggan events there were snowball battles, "dog team" races and a motorcycle hill climb in the afternoon.

The hill climb contest resulted as follows: First, Al Woods, 8 3-5 seconds; second, J. Lessard, 9 1-5 seconds.

Schools participating in the "dog team" races were the Varnum, Morey, Bartlett, Edson and Butler and were won by the Butler and Edson boys.

Only one of the events scheduled for last evening was carried out—the football game between the Butlers and O. M.I. Cadets. The snow was too soft and heavy to allow for much of a contest, however, and after a few minutes of fun the game was called off and declared a draw. Spectators mingled with the players to such an extent that it was impossible to identify the participants, although while it lasted it was a worth-while novelty.

The bonfire on the hill top hardly had been lighted when it began to rain. This sent thousands scurrying homewards, although there were those who stuck it out until thoroughly soaked.

Snappy music played by Giblin's military band put zest into the afternoon program and silver and gold balloons, given away by the Willis market, added a happy touch to the carnival.

At the knicker dance tonight, to which the general public is invited, a Carnival king and queen will be selected and crowned. Ad club members will lead a grand march of those in sport costumes at about 10 o'clock and the style show committee, headed by Paul Doherty, will choose a king and queen from the participants. All who attend the dance are asked to wear knicker costumes, although no one will be out of place without them. Prizes for the winners of the sporting events will be distributed at the dance and the committee in charge has a number of novel surprises in store that will make the event a fitting climax to the two-day carnival.

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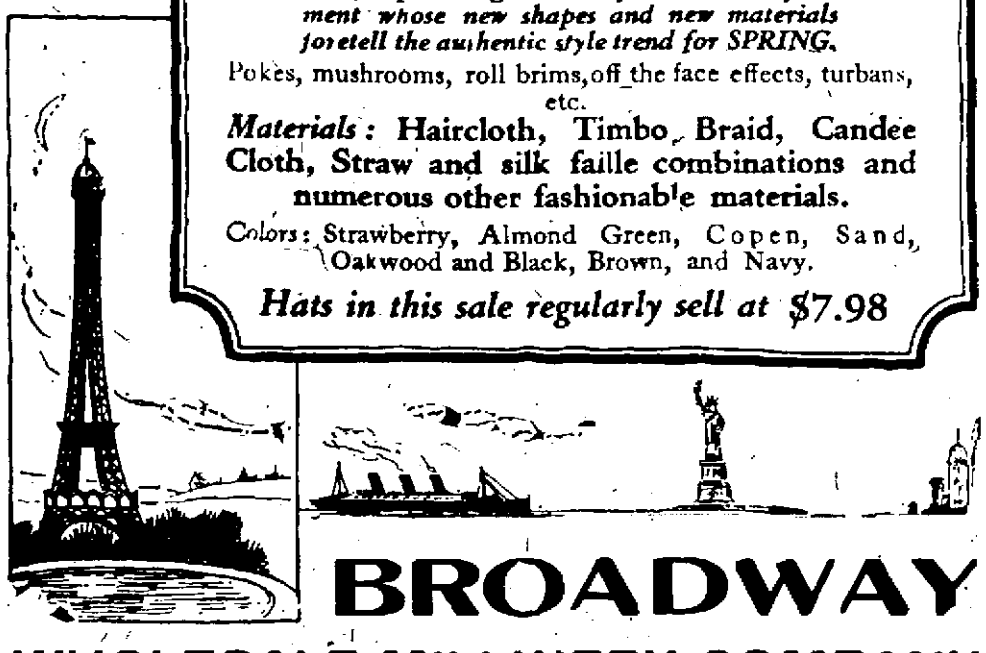

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MARRIED SIXTY YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Will Observe 60th Wedding Anniversary Tomorrow

Sixty years happily married, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill Nelson, born of English parentage but for many years sturdy American citizens who have raised a splendid family of children will tomorrow quietly celebrate at their little home, 15 Madison street, off Gorham, the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage.

There will be no formal celebration of an impressive nature and no public reception for the anniversary day. Children of the happy Lowell man and his devoted wife will return to the family fireside from many points of the compass, to bring congratulations and good wishes and receive filial blessings.

Neighbors will drop in during the day or evening, there will be gifts for the venerable couple who have lived so many years in affectionate happiness and genuine contentment, and friends from old England who remember the anniversary will not forget to send along reminders of old homestead scenes in historic Lancashire, where Thomas Nelson was born, grew up and won his bride.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS H. NELSON

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are today in good health although the husband is somewhat disabled from an old injury received some twenty years ago when he met with an accident in the old textile school, then located on Middlesex street. The contented couple, nevertheless, always look on the bright side of things.

They reared a large family of children, all of whom are engaged in useful industry either at home or in the marts of trade. Sturdy, well educated sons are making names for themselves by their sobriety, their energy and their self-made progress in many lines of American business including the textiles.

This family has a decidedly interesting history. Thomas Nelson was the son of Charles and Elizabeth Nelson, living in Preston, Lancashire, England. He was born June 12, 1839, and will be 84 years old this year. He married Miss Ann Leigh Walmsley February 8, 1863, and eight children were born of the union, six of them living as follows: John Charles Nelson, of Valley Forge, R. I.; Elizabeth B. N. Caswell, of Seattle, Wash.; William Nelson, of New York; Thomas Nelson, of Raleigh, N. C.; Edward Nelson, of Newton, Mass.; Ernest Nelson, of Selma, Ala.

William Nelson is a noted designer in a New York textile commission house; Thomas of Raleigh is now employed as director of textile studies in the North Carolina State college; Edward is an overseer in the textile department of the Chase mills in Newton, and Ernest is manager of a large textile mill in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson came to America from England in 1896, first settling in Taftville, Conn. In 1898 they came to Lowell, where the family has resided since.

The Nelsons celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary ten years ago in Lowell. At that time they lived in Beech street. They moved to Madison street about a year ago.

Mr. Nelson probably has the longest name of any man living in Lowell. His full name, given to The Sun today, is as follows: "Thomas Hill Joseph Napoleon Horatio Bonaparte Swindlehurst Nelson."

Mr. Nelson would prefer to have you write it just plain "Thomas Hill Nelson."

Mr. Nelson first entered a textile mill in England at the age of 7½ years, but could only work half a day, as the English law compelled mill workers of the child labor class to attend some school at least half a day every work day.

The little youngster who entered the English cotton mills remembers that his first week's wage, paid him on Christmas day, was "one and thruppence," or exactly 26 cents in American money, for a week's work on the half-day schedule. The money did not go very far in those days, but little Thomas, not yet 8 eight years, thought he had made a fortune pretty easily.

Thomas joined the English temperance band when he became seven years of age and so far as he knows, is still a member of the Lancashire roll of honor, where his name is high in the list of the "charter roll."

The Nelsons have been members of and attendants at the First Congregational church in this city, ever since they came to Lowell.

Mr. Nelson is a member of one of the oldest fraternal organizations in the world, the "Ancient Order of Foresters," said to have been instituted "from time immemorial." The membership scroll with Mr. Nelson's name inscribed, still hangs on the wall of the Nelson parlor. It has no connection with the American Order of Foresters, he says.

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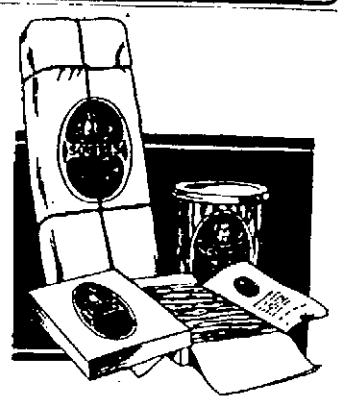

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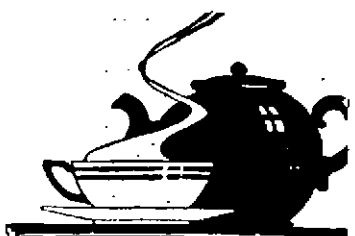
seen the blaze. It was then about 1.45 o'clock and they hurried to the scene of the fire. On the piazza they found pieces of orange cases saturated with kerosene. The kerosene had also been thrown on and around the door and a mat on the piazza was saturated with it. They immediately gave the alarm and succeeded in arousing Mr. McManmon. An emergency bucket brigade was formed and the fire was soon under control.

A little way down the road from the house, Mr. Sullivan and his passengers saw a car stopped, and two men, standing on either side of the car, were looking in the direction of the house. The two men immediately jumped into their car, but Mr. Sullivan succeeded in passing them and kept them in the rear until the square was reached. In the meantime one of his passengers had taken the number of the car, the occupants of which were naturally under suspicion, though an investigation now underway by the police may prove them entirely innocent.

Upon reaching the square Mr. Sullivan notified an officer, but before the situation was plainly made known to him the car with the suspects had succeeded in passing the taxi and hurried into East Merrimack street. Mr. Sullivan then gave the number of the car to the police.

Mr. McManmon is naturally very much astounded over the affair, but he thanks God that he and his family were saved by the accidental arrival of Mr. Sullivan and his passengers. The miserable attempt on life and property came as a great shock of course, to all members of the McManmon family.

"I never knowingly injured any man," said Mr. McManmon to The Sun, today, "and the horrible thing is a great shock to myself and family. I did not know I had an enemy in the world, and certainly not one so malicious as to attempt to take my life and the lives of my family. Chief Saunders of the fire department visited the premises today and he will call in the state inspectors. The most fortunate thing that ever happened to me and mine was the arrival of the taxi driver and his passengers just in the nick of time. The fire could not have been going very long, but in a short while—well I hate to think of what would undoubtedly have happened."



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LEBANON, N. H., Feb. 2.—Fire which started in the rear of the town hall early today, destroyed that structure, damaged the Hotel Rogers and burned out several stores in an adjoining wooden building in the center of the town. The loss on the hotel and store property was estimated at $25,000. The town hall, a frame building erected more than a hundred years ago and several times remodelled, could not be replaced for less than $100,000. The hotel guests were able to leave their rooms before the fire reached that building.

The cause of the fire is not known. Last night there was a basketball game in one of the halls in the town building, and it is thought possible that either the furnace became overheated or a lighted cigar or cigaret might have started the blaze.

Help was called from Concord, White River Junction, Vt., and West Lebanon when the high wind carrying fire brands a half mile threatened to cause a spread of the flames throughout the business district, but the fire was brought under control before the Concord apparatus arrived.

TEXTILE SCHOOL STUDENTS RESTING

The students at the Textile school have just completed their mid-year examinations and are now enjoying a short rest between terms. The second semester will begin next Monday morning with a total registration of 236, which is practically the same number as attended the first semster.

The fraternities at the school are lining up new candidates from the freshman classes and the lucky members will soon be initiated into the mysteries of fraternity life.

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PAY OF CITY LABORERS

Public Service Board Hears Committee From Ash and Waste Department

That the pay of all city laborers should be stabilized, was the opinion expressed by the members of the Lowell board of public service at a meeting in the engineer's office in city hall yesterday afternoon. The board decided to take under advisement the request of a committee from the ash and waste collection department, that the employes of that department be granted an increase in wages from the present rate of $4.75 per day to $5.20 per day.

The committee which waited on the board comprised Murtagh Lyons, John Murray, Coleman O'Loughlin, Joseph McQuarrie, Patrick Hunt, Dana Paquette and Frank O'Rourke. Through their chairman, Mr. Lyons, they told the board that Mayor Donovan had promised to do everything in his power to have the increase granted if only the board of public service would recommend it. It was also explained that the men in this department work from 4.30 in the morning until late at night; that they have to care for horses, rain or shine, and that the only days they have off in the year are the Fourth of July and Christmas.

The men explained that they wished to be placed on an equal footing with other city employes, starting to work at 7.30 o'clock in the morning and finishing at 4.30 in the afternoon. The present scale of wages for the ash, water and street departments is as follows:

Ash department—Teamsters, $4.75 a day; pitchers, $4.55 a day.

Water department, $4.50 a day.

Street department—$5.20 a day for laborers, and $4.88 a day for sparrowmen.

After the committee had stated its case, each of the members of the board expressed, individually, his favorable opinion on the matter, but definite action was deferred to a later meeting.

Yesterday's meeting opened with the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by City Engineer Stephen Kearney. Under the head of routine business, the following communication from the mayor relating to weekly payrolls, was read by Chairman Murphy:

"I am in receipt of a request from the civil service commission that all payrolls in your department, including the water department, be submitted to the commission's office weekly instead of every three or four weeks as is now in practice. The commission explains that this will aid it greatly in checking payrolls. In view of our recent friendly relations with the commission, I believe this request should be granted and I trust that you will take up the matter immediately."

The chairman replied that the matter had been complied with.

Abel R. Campbell, representing the Highland Realty Co., petitioned the board for an extension of city water to Ruth street where his company had erected six or seven new houses. He said that the houses would probably be ready for occupancy in five weeks and he asked that the water extension be installed by that time. The board agreed to grant the request.

John Marcopoulos petitioned for a pole location in Adams street, and it was granted.

Reports from the inspector of wires on new pole locations and wire attachments were accepted, while a large number of street department bills which have been held over since 1922 were approved.

A second communication from the mayor was read and placed on file. It concerned city-owned machines and contained the warning that department heads refrain from using them after hours.

Supt. Harry Doherty was instructed to make an inventory of the shovels bought by the department in 1922-23 and report at the next meeting. Adjourned 5.35.

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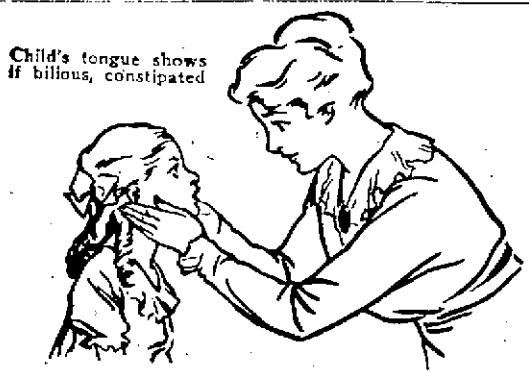

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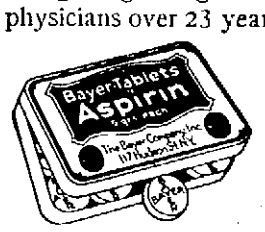

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DISTRICT COURT BUILDING

The local Bar Association has taken up the matter of agitating for the erection by the county commission of a suitable building for the local district court. Of the urgent need of such a building there can be no question whatsoever. The conditions in the Market street building have become almost intolerable, and there is no immediate relief in sight.

It has been proposed that quarters might be found at the Gorham street courthouse, but investigation shows that there is no available space in that building that could be permanently devoted to the use of the district court. Indeed the Gorham street building is occupied almost to capacity most of the time. The probate court, the superior court, the civil and criminal sessions, and the divorce court, all hold their regular sessions in the Gorham street building. In addition there are various hearings conducted by masters and occasional sessions of the supreme judicial court so that the main courtrooms of the building are occupied the greater part of the time. There is absolutely no opportunity for suitable accommodations for the district court, which, as a rule, is held daily except on Sundays and holidays.

Cambridge has a fine district court building and so has the city of Malden, yet perhaps neither city needed such a building quite so much as does Lowell at the present time. Commissioner Barlow has made the statement that a district court building cannot be provided at the present time. Undoubtedly, the commission has no surplus funds to devote to any such purpose; but it is reasonable to assume that at least the urgent needs of the courts shall be provided for in suitable buildings. At the present time, the county leases the Market street building from the city of Lowell at a rental of $2900 per annum. That amount would justify an investment in a county building that would furnish adequate accommodations for the court and be an ornament to the city and at the same time a credit to the county.

If the necessities of the case are thoroughly studied, we venture to say that the commissioners will eventually be forced to the conclusion, that sound public policy demands the erection of a district court building for Lowell. The progress of the times favors such a step, and if the dignity of the court and due respect for the law are to be maintained in Lowell, it is incumbent upon the county to provide suitable quarters for the administration of justice in a new and up-to-date district court building.

OUR DEAD OVERSEAS

American cemeteries overseas are models for other nations that were in the war, we are told. More than 30,000 of the nation's heroic dead lie in eight burial places. The graves are receiving the kindliest care always.

The American cemetery at Romagne is said to be one of the most impressive of all, but the American government has done all in its power to make the burial places solemnly beautiful. Six are in France, one in Belgium and the other in England. Most of the French plots were selected to commemorate the battles fought in the vicinities.

The cemetery at Romagne represents the Argonne fighting, the one at Thiaucourt the battle of St. Mihiel. There is one at Belleau Wood, significant of the action there; one at Nesles, about 35 miles north of Chateau-Thierry; one at Suresnes, near Paris, and one at Bony, in which are the dead of the Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth divisions, which fought with the English.

The Flanders Field cemetery in southern Belgium contains the bodies of 365 Americans who fought with the English in Belgium. The eighth of the cemeteries is in Brookwood, England, containing the bodies of 435 Americans who died in the British Isles.

And so they sleep—their graves tended by loving men and women—heroes all, with countless friends to keep their memory green. Americans do not forget—the cemeteries across the sea will always remain solemnly beautiful, for the valiant lives these men gave were given freely and heroically in an honorable cause and not in vain.

THE RISE OF AN AMERICAN

Fred Moore Woolworth, American business man, recently died in London after a short illness. He was the London director of the chain store organization subsidiary to the Woolworth store organization in the United States.

The name of Woolworth is widely known today, but 35 years ago the name was not familiar to many. The man who has just passed away in England was born in Portland, Me., a rather poor boy, but a wideawake youngster. He acquired the management of the Woolworth store in Portland, married and branched out with the other Woolworths.

The history of this chain store system is well known. Lowell has some of the "links." The Woolworths acquired a fortune, as everybody knows. It simply shows what a good American who knows how to work, how to use his brain and keep on working, can do even with a poor start. The success of the Woolworth stores shows what sort of men were back of the institution that has become one of the most prosperous merchandising organizations in the world.

THE 1923 CUSTOMS INCREASE

Chief E. W. Camp of the customs division, United States treasury department, has again revised his estimate of the revenues that will accrue to the government under the Fordney-McCumber tariff act, and now places the year's prospective income from this source at $450,000,000.

This is an advance on Mr. Camp's December estimate of $30,000,000 and additional confirmation of the assertions repeatedly made by the authors of the bill and their supporters, that higher rates would not affect the reduction of revenue. However, predictions are easy to make at this time. The tariff act has not yet had time to get in its real work. It will take a good many months more to tabulate actual receipts and check them up in detail before we brag too much about the collections from the new tariff schedules.

To date, there has been nothing really consistent to boast about. The customs receipts have not yet kept step with the rising tide of prosperity in the U.S.A. The future returns cannot be predicted at this time, for our foreign commerce is by no means world-beating in volume and conditions abroad are so unsettled that predictions too far ahead would be useless.

MR. MELLON'S ATTITUDE

Secretary Mellon has sent a letter to Chairman McCumber of the senate finance committee, expressing his absolute opposition to the Bursum bill that would establish a billion-dollar credit for the German government to buy foodstuffs in the United States.

Mr. Mellon has ample reasons for taking the attitude he does, and we admire his firmness and reasons. He declares that it was in contravention of the treasury department's policy "that foreign governments desiring to find finance in the United States should appeal to the investing public and not seek government aid." Mr. Mellon says he knows of no reason for taking any more favorable action with respect to the German government than toward foreign governments associated with us in the late war. Moreover, the United States treasury has no funds available now for loans to foreign governments.

What more need be said? The Sun has already denounced this proposition as ridiculous. Why should we treat Germany better than England or France?

CANNED FOODS SAFE

Sir William Willcox, one of the great authorities on poisons, has just declared that tinned foods are just as safe as fresh foods, if not safer. To support his contention he recently pointed out in a speech to the evidence presented by the "greatest experiment in history"—the feeding during the last war of many millions of troops for years on canned foods.

There were only four cases of food poisoning during that war, he said, three of these being in France and one at Port Said. Nowadays the composition of metal used in tin cans is such that the danger of metallic poison is almost nil. Any idea of food poisoning being due to ptomaines also could be dismissed, the eminent authority says. This form of poisoning is often confused with bacterial contamination of fresh foods, usually by living carriers of disease who handle the food.

The large attendance at the winter carnival at Fort Hill park yesterday indicated the popularity of the idea. The temperature was rather high for such sports so that the snow became rather soft for skiing and tobogganing. The fact remains, however, that a beginning has been made in the direction of winter carnivals that will attract people from every part of the city and from towns and cities within a radius of twenty miles. It is a popular idea and if properly developed next season, it will bring increased business and prestige to Lowell.

For a time we cease to contemplate the great export of coal to Canada and fix our minds upon the export of coal from Lowell to Lawrence. We have no desire to see Lawrence freeze, but in such cases the old maxim as to where charity should begin is still pertinent.

The policy of economy precludes the employment of an instructor in boxing and wrestling at the high school gymnasium. If the craze for specialists goes much farther, the students will have no time to devote to their regular studies.

Some city officials seem to think that their political fortunes depend upon their adherence to the fixed policy of boosting salaries and department appropriations. In the last municipal election a few exponents of this policy were emphatically fired.

The estimates must be slashed, but not with a view to securing supplementary budgets toward the close of the year.

Don't blame the street cars for delays caused by motor vehicles stalled on the car tracks and in no hurry to move.

In public affairs such as the carnival, the unruly element must be taught to behave.

Mind your step; the streets are slippery again and the sandmen are still missing.

Some of the big trucks have hogged the road even where the only space open was the car track.

We have been fortunate in not having any very serious fire since the deep snow piled the streets.

Anyhow, despite rain and every other obstacle, the annual Winter Carnival of Lowell has been launched.

SEEN AND HEARD

You never hear about a man cusing a cop again.

The world owes you a living but you must show it what for.

An actress is suing for divorce and custody of the reputation.

Loafing is hard work. Very few people have made a success of it.

A Thought

Here's freedom to them that would read!
Here's freedom to them that would write!
There's none ever feared
That the truth should be heard
Save them that the truth would indict. —Robert Burns

Very Clever Thought

The farmer scowled. "Those dandelions," he said, "they are a perfect pest. They are running over the good country. I wish we knew how to get rid of them." The expert thought for an instant, then he said, "I have it! We'll post up bills giving the recipe for dandelion wine."

Made Poor Start

A lawyer decided to turn over part of his practice to his son. Shortly afterward the young man, beaming with pleasure, entered the office and said: "Father, I've settled that Johnson case we've been about so many years." "Settled it!" was the astonished reply. "Why, my dear boy, I gave you that case as an annuity."

Terrible Finish

At last the young actor had received a speaking part. It consisted of four words, "Hark, a pistol shot!" However, at the last moment stage fright got the upper hand, and rushing on the stage, he yelled: "Hark, a shistol pot! Nuno, a postol shoot." Then desperately, he shouted: "Confound it all, did you hear that bang?"

Very Brave Marshal

It was generally conceded that the presence of Napoleon on a battlefield was worth 40,000 men. Tradition has handed this down to us, and history has accepted it. "Nevertheless," old Marshal Cheesaitz used to say, "put him on the field with one aid or, not to be captious about it, let him have two. Then give me 40,000 men. I'll undertake to hold my own against him."

Still Running

A doe, lost in Willimantic, Conn., was chased by a dog into the Y.M.C.A. building. It broke the thick glass in the door and bounded into the vestibule, overturning furniture and scaring a visiting minister. It bounded upstairs and into the directors' room, from which it leaped through a window to the yard 10 feet below. It then crossed the railroad tracks, and after swimming the Willimantic river, disappeared.

King Was Indignant

A lurid melodrama was being given in an English town and one of the characters, a king, was haranguing his son. "Come," said the king, "let us go into the 'ouse." "Did you hear that?" said a man in the stalls to his companion. "He said 'ouse." Overhearing the remark and fixing the interpreter with his eye, the king advanced to the footlights and exclaimed: "Yus, I said 'ouse. Do you fink as how a king would live in apartments."

Know the Line?

The young man who had an idea he was indispensable to his employer—but who was literally clinging to his job by the "skin of his teeth"—emerged from the chief's office wearing a puzzled look. "Well, did you tell the old man where to get off if he didn't give you a raise?" asked one of the boys. "Sure! I told him if I didn't get a raise I'd leave him in the lurch." "Yeah?" "And he says: 'I haven't got time to sing it, but you'll find the firm's answer in the second line of 'Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here!'"

Bobby Remembered

Blinks, after inviting his friend Jinks to dinner, was telling him about the remarkable memory of his little son Bobby. "And do you think he will remember me?" asked Jinks. "Remember you? Why, certainly he will." An hour later they entered the house, and after Jinks has greeted Mrs. Blinks, he called Bobby over to him. "And do you remember me, my little man?" "'Course I do. You're the man that pa brought home last year, and ma was so wild about it that she didn't speak to pa for a week."

Conscience

I do my best, day after day,
My duties to perform,
Pursuing a calm, even way,
Heedless of stress or storm;
But one thing troubles me at night,
I will confess to you,
The many things I have not done
The things I meant to do.

The things I've done are soon forgot;
The others stay in mind,
Both tasks I took upon myself,
And those to me assigned.
The thought of them keps me awake,
When sleep I try to woo,
The many things I have not done,
The things I ought to do!

—Somerville Journal.

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Miss Flore Doucette, secretary of the Women's civic committee and promoter of the French-American Educational society is being highly complimented for the interest she is displaying in the welfare of the young women of this city. Miss Doucette, who is a highly educated woman is very much interested in education and she is devoting all her spare time to promoting the organization which has for its aim the education of worthy young women, who are unable to finance their way through college. In her work she is being ably assisted by a corps of young women, who plan socials and entertainments during the winter season, the proceeds of those events to be devoted to the society's fund. All French-speaking women of the city are eligible to membership in the society by paying an annual fee of one dollar.

Some people purchase books and preserve them even though they never read a line of their contents, but others, and a great many of them, buy books with a determination to broaden their knowledge, but in time these volumes are piled up in dusty corners or even in attics. I have seen valuable books, the pages of which were used for testing the heat of a flat-iron, and books of poems utilized as scrap books for cooking recipes. Thick dictionaries and volumes of encyclopedias are often used on chairs, some by typists and others by families entertaining children at dinner. I have seen doctors' books, the larger ones, used as door stops, and geographies have proved very handy in holding up windows with broken cords. Some people use books for the filing away of marriage certificates and other precious documents; a good way of losing them, if the person so hiding them should pass away suddenly. Verily the author of a book never knows what is going to happen to his volume after it gets into the hands of the public.

SALE OF TICKETS FOR HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

The tickets for the Lowell high school play, "Only 38," to be presented at the Cyrus W. Irish Auditorium on next Thursday and Friday evenings, will go on sale at the office of the Lowell high school Monday morning next. The scale of prices for this year's production are 35c, 50c and 75c. Telephone orders will be taken by calling 1250. Miss Mary C. Joyce, teacher of elocution in the high school, expects big things from her cast in this year's play. "Only 38" is one of those rare plays that pulls at the heart strings while you laugh. It is a very human play based on the "mother" theme; a college atmosphere with song and yells is noticeable throughout. The lines are exceptionally good and the entire play has plenty of good laugh lines and situations. The production is to be elaborately staged, the staging of all of Miss Joyce's high school productions always a feature in itself. For the past three or four weeks the stage of the high school auditorium has resembled a New York Scenic studio. Men have been busily engaged in building the sets and the many stage appliances for the production, while a scenic artist has been working at top speed painting the scenery, etc. A real treat is in store for those who attend either of the performances when they set their eyes on the beautiful sets of scenery that have been built and painted for this year's production. This scenery can be used for a good many years to come and is a valuable asset to the high school. The cast is all "keyed up" to put over the show and the production itself gives the individual members of the cast plenty of opportunity for splendid character portrayals and acting. Tickets for the show are expected to go fast and the public is advised to call at the office of the high school or telephone for reservations at once.

MIXED FOURSOME

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—A mixed foursome with Gene Sarazen national open and professional golf champion and Miss Marion Hollins, national woman's champion in 1921, representing New York and Jock Hutchinson, formerly British open champion, and Mrs. F. M. Leeds, Jr., representing Chicago, was to be played at the Los Angeles Country club today if favorable weather prevailed.

V. V.'S TROUBLE

Mme. Liouboff Mouromsky Vonsiatsky (above) has arrived in New York ready to seek heart balm because Anastase Vonsiatskoy-Vonsiatsky (above), whom she claims as husband, married the wealthy Mrs. Marion Beard Stephens of Philadelphia.

Tom Sims Says

The real reason we don't want another war is so few people enjoyed our last one.

Hope the spring poets see their shadow and go back for six weeks.

France wanted to pay the German miners in marks. No wonder they quit.

The man who thought up clocks for socks is still at large.

Who says autoists are not considerate of pedestrians? Dealers say they are demanding lighter cars.

Sad part about not having a wife is you can't blame things on her.

The mints are making more nickels and dimes in spite of the greater demand for quarters and halves.

In Maine, 53 inches of snow fell in one month. This never happened when the democrats were in office.

Most of our troops are withdrawn from everywhere, even America.

Wouldn't it be possible to make some of these safety razor guards so they will fit on collars?

Statistics show three-fourths of our accidents unnecessary. We can't imagine a necessary accident.

The modern parent promises his son an auto if he doesn't smoke or drink until he is 12 years old.

Willard, ex-pugilist, says all he wants is a chance to come back. He should become a collector.

Tennessee educator proposes school last the year round. Other war news is on our first page.

A war vet tells us he has been gassed twice, once by congress.

Hunt the brighter side. Aren't you glad our shortest month comes in winter instead of spring?

Georgetown (Del.) boy stole to go to Florida. These bathing girl pictures should be censored.

We certainly would hate to be vice president. He lives in a hotel.

Forty per cent of the St. Louis children never have seen a sheep, which makes them feel sheepish.

Only Complete New System Will Fill City's Needs

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elimination of certain superfluous equipment.

Mr. Church has thoroughly gone into the matter with John S. Caldwell, chief engineer of the New England Insurance exchange, who states he will be unwilling to make any suggestion which in any way would minimize the effectiveness and efficiency of the system as laid out by the Gamewell engineers.

Mr. Church also has been assured by Mr. Caldwell that there is no possible way of so modernizing the present automatic system as to make it adequate or reliable, as it has outgrown its usefulness, being designed for a community not in excess of 15,00 inhabitants.

Mr. Church's letter to Mr. Wells is illuminating in many ways and as agitation for a new system is rife at present and the entire matter is of widespread interest, it is reproduced herewith:

February 1, 1923.

Mr. George F. Wells, Secretary, Lowell Chamber of Commerce, Lowell.

Dear Mr. Wells:

Since requested by you through action of the directors of the chamber of commerce I have gone into the matter of checking up the cost of installing a new fire alarm system in the city of Lowell, and find that such procedure would be practicable, though we are without other recourse than to secure other equipment than the Gamewell fire alarm system.

Mr. John S. Caldwell, chief engineer of the New England Insurance exchange informed me that such check-ups have been made by his organizations in previous instances, but the reductions have been only to the extent of suggesting that certain superfluous equipment included in the contract be eliminated. The basic contract has in no instance been changed, and Mr. Caldwell stated that he would be unwilling to make any suggestion which in any way would minimize the effectiveness and efficiency of the system as laid out by the Gamewell engineers.

If desired after the contract has been awarded, Mr. Caldwell will be only too glad to go over the specifications and in such instances as he deems advisable, made reductions in the equipment.

Though it is felt that the cost of this installation is perhaps high, it must be remembered that the concern installing same does not lose interest in the system at the completion of their work, but at all times in the future they will be at the service of the city, and act very efficiently and quickly in case of emergency of any kind.

It has been intimated that the installation of an entire new fire alarm system is in excess of the requirements of the underwriters. This is not true, for you will note under the report of the national board of fire underwriters for 1922, under recommendations, that No. 24 reads as follows:

"That the system be changed to a manually operated system providing for at least 20 box, four primary and four secondary circuits, etc."

At the present time we have an automatic system and Mr. Caldwell assures me that there is no way of so modernizing our present system as to make it adequate, as it has outgrown its usefulness, being designed for a community of not in excess of 15,000 inhabitants. Therefore, you can readily perceive that the necessity of a new fire alarm system is very essential, and I believe the failure of the present system has been only too clearly demonstrated to the public.

If you desire any further action on my part, I shall be pleased to lend whatever aid I may and feel certain that Mr. Caldwell will at all times be at our service.

Yours very truly,
FRED C. CHURCH & CO.
Per Frederick C. Church, Jr., Chairman of Committee on Fire Prevention.

CHARLIE ROBERTSON IS A "HOLD OUT"

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Charles Robertson, Chicago American league club pitcher, who in his first season in fast company, last year, hurled a no-hit-no-run game, today verified reports he is a holdout, but denied rumors that he intended to jump to semi-professional baseball.

Robertson said the contract tendered him provided for an increase of $100 over his last year's salary, and that he had turned it back with a request that another cipher be added to the raise.

Berton Braley's Daily Poem

GO ON

Keep on a little longer,
Though the game seems gone,
It makes your spirit stronger
If you just keep on;
What if you're sick and stale, you're
Not all gone, I guess,
Keep on, it's thus that failure
Often brings success.

Keep on a little longer,
Why should you admit
That anybody's stronger
Than yourself—and quit?
Although your pep's diminished,
Why, the wise guy knows,
The game is never finished
Till the whistle blows.

When ev'ry bone and sinew
Seem to fail you, flat,
There's Something Else that's in you
Which is more than that;
There's a spirit that is stronger,
With a vigor strange,
Keep on a little longer,
And the luck may change!

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ASH COLLECTION BACK ON NORMAL SCHEDULE

The city ashes and waste collection division has worked its way back to a normal schedule and this noon 60 "rookies" were laid off, bringing the force down to its winter complement of about 10 men.

Belvidere will get an ash collection tomorrow, which is its usual day in the week's schedule.

Ever since the heavy January snows the ash division has been trailing its schedule, but has been working with augmented forces to catch up. Today it is neck and neck with itself and plans to carry on with its usual force for the remainder of the winter.

With today's warm sun beating down on ice and snow covered sidewalks, Supt. Harry Doherty of the street department calls it to mind that this is a splendid and auspicious time to clean walks of all such accumulations. Do not toss this ice or snow into open gutters, however, he adds, but throw it over into the street proper.

BONUS FOR EMPLOYES

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Formal announcement was made today that the Endicott-Johnson corporation would pay approximately 12,000 workers a bonus of $245.44 each, computed on the week's working hours. An employe who had not lost any time during the 52 weeks will receive the full benefits and others in proportion to the weeks they have worked.

THE NEW HALL of FAME

Sigrid Onegin

The glories of the Metropolitan Opera House brought into the home by world-famed Sigrid Onegin whose marvelous contralto is a sensation of the present operatic season.

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Brunswick

TO EXHUME BODY

To Determine if Russian Jewels Were Buried With Body of American Seaman

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The treasury department has acquiesced in a request of war department officers for the exhumation and examination of the coffin of James Jones, an American seaman, buried in Cypress Hills cemetery, Brooklyn, to determine whether smuggled Russian crown jewels were buried with the body.

SAY BAGWELL ESCAPED FROM HIS CAPTORS

DUBLIN, Feb. 2.—(By the Associated Press) Notwithstanding the refusal of Senator John Bagwell to tell the adventures that followed his kidnapping Tuesday night, it is said that the military authorities are acquainted with the details of his capture by the Irregulars. The story is current that the senator who left Dublin last night for England, escaped from his captors.

According to this account, he was taken from his home in Sutton to the northern part of County Dublin, where the occupants of a private house were compelled to admit him for the night. A comfortable bedroom was given him but two armed men mounted guard.

The next morning, it is said, Senator Bagwell was removed to another house at a considerable distance. Being left alone for a few minutes, he jumped through a window. Taking advantage of ditches and hedges, he eluded his pursuers until he found refuge in an automobile which brought him here.

TARIFF DUTIES FOR MONTH $46,000,000

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Predictions by customs officials that tariff duties collected in January would exceed $16,000,000, have been borne out by fiscal computation of collections for the month made public today at the treasury.

Collections for the month totalled $46,345,991, an increase over December of about $7,000,000.

BRAIN TESTS FOR AUTOISTS

BALTIMORE, Feb. 2.—Brain tests for drivers of automobiles and simplification of signs and signals for direction of traffic are first suggestions of the newly organized Baltimore Safety council.

Dr. Adolf Meyer, one of the most eminent psychiatrists in the country, favors brain tests for automobile drivers.

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INTERESTING ADDRESS

Social Service League Secretary Addresses Parent-Teacher Association

Caring for little children and the growth of the work of social service organizations in various parts of the country, were explained by Miss Alice Bell, secretary of the Lowell Social Service league before the members of the Bartlett Training School Parent-Teacher association yesterday. Folk dancing and dramatizations given by small groups of children, preceded the lecture.

Those taking part in the dances included Elizabeth Mulry, Nellie Edwards, Mary Rogers, Barbara Callahan, Gladys Scott, Arthur Brooks, John Hayes, Edward Johnson, Earle Dickinson and Thomas Lee. The dramatizations were furnished by Helen Normandy, Rosa Lemire, William Giblin, Dominick Monohan, Helen Anastakos, Madeline Dirubbo, Anna Darragh, Avis Jones, Dorothy Codure, Isabelle Coderre, Dina de la Parra, Edward Darragh, John Lear and Lloyd McLeod.

Miss Sara Ames presided over the meeting. Light refreshments were served by girl pupils of the school attired attractively in white aprons and caps. Mrs. Harvey Lafleur directed the hospitality committee.

Miss Bell's address was of great interest. She said the work of the social service worker compares with that of a school teacher in many ways. Reference was made to the excellent work of the Lowell Guild, an institution that teaches the mother to care for herself and later for her child.

The speaker said social workers must not be regarded as reformers. Their work is merely asking for co-operation. The nurse, for instance, does not tell mothers what to do, but help home conditions.

"Health standards of families must be brought out first. We must also know what the capacity of the father or mother is for supporting the family. Proper recreation must be provided for children either in schools, clubs, classes or churches." Social service, the speaker said in closing, stands for preventive work and seeks to make children and grown-ups able to care for themselves.

THE LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL YEAR BOOK

A meeting of the senior class of the high school was held yesterday afternoon to decide whether or not a year book would be published this year. The members appeared to be enthused with the idea but before any definite steps are taken slips will be given to all members so that their individual opinions may be recorded as to whether they are willing to support such a scheme or not.

Years ago, when fraternities flourished among the students of the school the Phi Annual was published. Since the fraternities have been barred in public schools, there has been no year book, and it is believed that a class book would be of interest to all the graduating class.

If the students promise their support, a leather-bound book containing biographical sketches and pictures of each member of the class, and pictures of the various athletic teams would be published and would be well worth keeping as a reminder of friends and classmates.

SLOW TRAIN DELAYS LOWELL STUDENTS

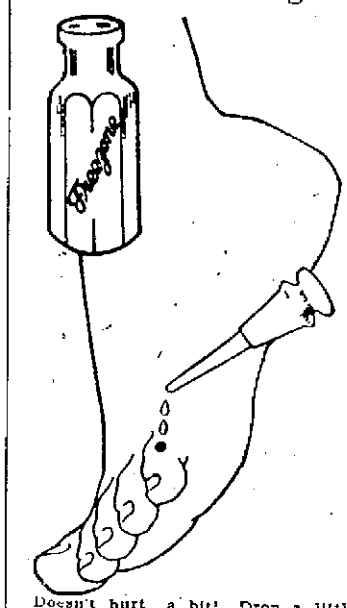
As result of a number of complaints received from Lowell boys and girls attending schools in Boston, Mayor John J. Donovan will attempt to obtain more satisfactory service to the Hub from the train which leaves here at 7.56 a. m. Complaints are to the effect that the train is delayed for different reasons while in transit and the result is arrival in Boston considerably later than the scheduled time and Lowell students are unable to reach their schools before morning sessions begin.

PLUNKETT SAD OVER LOSS OF MANSION

BELFAST, Feb. 2.—"It is all very sad, but a small cottage will do me for the rest of my days," says a cable message from Sir Horace Plunkett, who is in the United States, in reply to notification of the destruction early this week of his mansion at Fox Rock, County Dublin, by armed raiders.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



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Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the callouses, without soreness or irritation.—Adv.

E. SUMNER MANSFIELD, NOTED LAWYER, DEAD

NORTH SCITUATE, Feb. 2.—E. Sumner Mansfield, corporation lawyer, specialist in international law and Belgian consul in Boston from 1894 until the end of the World war, died at his home here yesterday. He was born in Norwich, Conn., in 1847. He practiced law in New Orleans for several years. He was decorated by King Albert for his work for Belgium during the war.

THOUSANDS AFFECTED BY MISPLACED COMMA

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Misplacement of a comma in the text of the war risk insurance act took away from thousands of officers and men in the coast guard all the benefits of the act after Aug. 28, 1919, in the opinion of officials of that service, who appeared today before the house interstate commerce committee to ask that the coast guard be placed again on equality with the army and navy.

NEW OIL AGREEMENT

MOSCOW, Feb. 2 (by the Associated Press).—A preliminary agreement for the concession, development and exploitation of 1100 square miles of oil land in Gouria, along the Black sea, has been reached between D. O. Robertson, representing a British petroleum company.

COLIN O'MORE AT THE AUDITORIUM

It is a far cry from old Ireland to the local Auditorium but a breath of old Irela. I will be wafted to Lowell on Sunday evening, when Mr. John Finnegan will present to music lovers of Lowell, one of the two greatest living tenors, Colin O'More, in a specially arranged program of Irish songs, such as "Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms," "The Foggy Dew," "I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen," "Killarney," "Molly Bawn," "The Low Back Car," "The Bells of Shandon," "Mother Machree," "Little Town in the Old County Down," "The Meeting of the Waters," and many others. Among the popular numbers will be, "Three O'Clock in the Morning," "For the Sake of Auld Lang Syne," "In a Wee Little Home I Love," "I Hear You Calling Me," and "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise." Also a group of French songs, including "Adieux," "La Barcheta," "Rime Tendre" and "Le Mariage des Roses."

In the above program, Mr. Finnegan feels that he is giving to the people of his native city just the kind of songs that they love best, and the writer agrees with him.

Miss Emilie Rose Knox, the young violinist accompanying Mr. O'More, is an artist who has made a name in the musical world, such as few artists can boast of, and her part of the program is a treat that Lowellians will long remember.

Evidence of a packed house lies in the fact, that reports from Boulger's and the Song Shop say that they have been compelled to have extra room set apart for the handling of the tickets for the Colin O'More concert.

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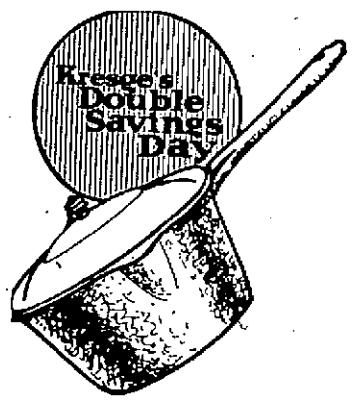

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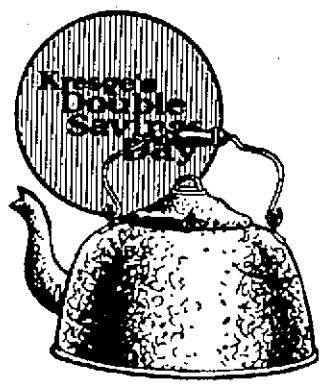

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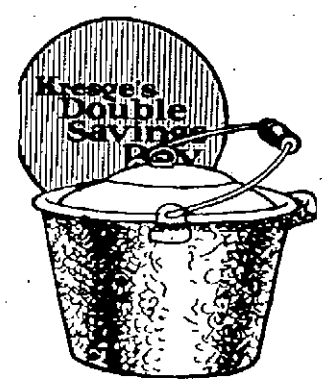

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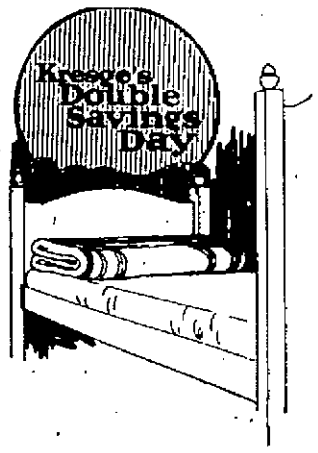

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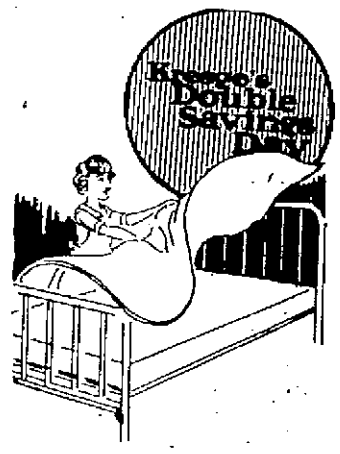

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CONSIDERS OFFER FOR TITLE BOUT

Jack Kearns, Manager of Dempsey, to Reply to O'Rourke's Offer Today

Proposal Calls for Two Matches, One With Wills and the Other With Beckett

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The chances of Jack Dempsey defending his world's heavyweight championship title this summer today hinged, apparently, on the decision of Jack Kearns, his manager, on an offer from Tom O'Rourke, republican A. A. matchmaker. O'Rourke proposed, after Tex Rickard said he was out of it, that Dempsey be matched against Harry Wills, negro challenger, and Joe Beckett, English challenger. He offered to stage two bouts at the Polo grounds, the first to be held on the Fourth of July, and the other providing Beckett defeats Georges Carpentier off France, on Labor day. Kearns told O'Rourke he would have an answer ready Monday. O'Rourke proposed to pay the champion $500,000 for the two bouts.

Rickard, who had been talking about promoting a match between Champion Jack Dempsey and several of numerous aspirants, formally announced withdrawal yesterday. Chairman William Muldoon of the state boxing commission said he suggested that Rickard get out and that he would suggest to other individuals that they form a line behind the tall Texan.

Rickard said he got out because he felt that the public would not support a title match. Muldoon said Rickard withdrew when it was suggested to him that there had been much much "bally-hooing"—preliminary motions to get publicity to interest the public in the fight and create a demand for tickets that would bring in a purse sufficiently large to interest the boxers and their maangers.

The net results so far seem to be that Dempsey is ready to fight but that he may not get a chance to.

Jess Willard seemed to be out of the reckoning, although one report had it that he expected soon to start a country-wide exhibition tour to demonstrate his fitness for a bout with the champion.

Kearns did not seem disturbed over Rickard's withdrawal. He said he would be glad to consider all bids. He indicated that he did not expect any proposal from Harry Frazee, who was reported several days ago as desiring an opportunity to stage a bout between Dempsey and Wills.

BROADWAY CLUB NIGHT AT POLO GAME

Tonight will be "Broadway club night" at the Crescent rink, with a large delegation of members of the prominent club being on hand to witness the Lowell-Portland polo battle.

The Broadway club has made great strides in sports and all branches of clean athletic competition are fostered and advanced by the popular North end organization. At the present time the club's basketball team is competing in the city elimination series. Last summer the Broadways had a team in the Twilight league. They also are planning to send a big delegation to Lawrence next week to cheer their popular and clever member, Billy Murphy on to victory in his bout with Al Shubert.

Many of the members are also great polo fans and have been noted at practically all the games this season. Hence in arranging for tonight's affairs reservations were made for about 200 Broadway members and friends.

The game tonight is expected to be a hummer. There is considerable rivalry between these two teams and both are now playing good polo. Lowell went to Portland last night without the service of Frank Hardy, who was on the the injured list, but he will be on deck tonight and his presence in the lineup will add the "punch" to Lowell's play.

Kid Williams, who equalled the record last Tuesday night by scoring nine goals, will be in there playing hard in an endeavor to set up a new mark. Harkins, the crafty leader and feeder par excellence will be on the job, while "Molly" Morrison, and Al Lovegreen will have charge of the defensive operations.

For Portland the league "villan" Dick Donnelly with his pals Gid Brown, Red Williams, "Babe" Bouderful and Freddie Pence will enter the cage in a determined effort to land the award. Jesse Burkett, baseball veteran, of hundreds of battles is sheduled to referee. The game will start at 8.15 o'clock.

WINS GOLD CUP SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The honor of winning the third meet of the Adirondack Gold cup skating championship series fell to Harry Kasky, Chicago, yesterday, when he skated his way to his fourth successive victory on Pontiac rink, winning both the 440 yard and three mile races. Charles Gorman, St. John, N. B., trailed Kasky over the tape in the 440 yard event, taking second place in the meet. Richard Donovan, Johnson City, who finished second in the three mile race, placed third. Kasky's point total was 150, Gorman scored 80 and Donovan 40.

Kasky's victory puts him in a third place tie with Donovan in the Adirondack gold cup series point scores, which Charles Jewtraw, Lake Placid, heads with a total of 330. Gorman has 180 points and Kasky and Donovan 150 each.

The fourth and final meet of the Adirondack gold cup series will be held at Lake Placid on February 8, 9 and 10.

POLO—TONIGHT
PORTLAND vs. LOWELL
CRESCENT RINK—8.15
TICKETS.... 35c, 55c and 65c
Ladies Admitted to Balcony 35 Cents
(Broadway Club Night)

BILLY MURPHY
vs.
AL SHUBERT
City Hall, Lawrence
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6
Admission....$1.00, $1.50, $2.00

TRACK MEET
Lowell High vs. Malden High
Sat., Feb. 3, 7.30 P. M.
HIGH SCHOOL ANNEX
Admission..... 35 Cents

AVILA GIVEN AWARD

Decision to Lowell Boy Over Billy Duffy of Everett Unpopular With Majority

A great fight, but a decidedly unpopular decision was the verdict of the majority of the fans that witnessed the Johnny Avila-Billy Duffy bout, which was the final event of the Moody club card at the Crescent rink last night. The award to Avila created a great furore and hisses, jeers and groans followed. The Avila supporters, though in the minority, retaliated with vigorous cheering.

The officials of the bout, Referee Cooper of Lawrence and Judges Al Bates of Boston and Frank Murphy of Lowell, were subjected to severe criticism. The Lowell man was made the brunt of the attack, because the other men hurried to the dressing room. Murphy, however, declared that he voted for Duffy. This announcement breaks a rule of the state boxing commission, which prohibits officials from telling how they balloted, but Murphy said that, regardless of what action would follow, he felt justified in disclosing his hand. He was not going to stand for criticism he did not deserve, he concluded.

The fight was a slashing number, one in which action and terrific hitting featured every round. Duffy carried the fight to his opponent, virtually all the way, and he conducted an incessant attack right up until the final bell. Once he hit Avila low and the bout was stopped to permit Dr. William Collins, local medical representative of the boxing commission, to conduct an examination. The doctor pronounced Avila fit to continue.

Avila scored some heavy blows to the body. He stood right in there and swapped with his opponent, but his attack was minimized by too much hobling and clinching. Many times Avila would close in and grab Duffy around the neck with one hand, and swing with the other. This action incurred the displeasure of the fans, but the referee permitted it to continue.

Duffy showed wonderful improvement over his previous work here. He shot over lefts to the head with great force and accuracy. He countered well with stiff rights to the body. He was fast on his feet, and he worked with confidence all the way. He evaded many of Avila's heavy swings, and blocked and ducked in expert fashion.

Twice the battling became so furious that the referee had to step in and pry the gladiators apart after the bell had sounded. In scoring the fight it would appear that Duffy had the advantage. He landed more blows. He showed greater aggressiveness. He was seldom on the defensive. He struck one illegal blow, but it was accidental and did not incapacitate Avila. The Lowell boy's blows, though fewer, were apparently of greater force, but his clinching and holding, his willingness to let Duffy do all the leading, were points that counted, or should have counted, against him.

The other bouts on the cards were fine numbers. In fact the show was one of the best balanced of the season. Harry Foley of Boston and Wallie Theroux of Nashua appeared in a hurricane eight-round number. It lasted but seven rounds with Foley sending Theroux to the floor and the referee calling off hostilities. In the early stages the Nashua boy tore at Foley like a tiger and while he showed the way to his opponent he apparently fought himself out. At the half-way mark, Foley forged to the front, and his stinging blows to the midriff slowed up Theroux and brought about his downfall.

In the other eight-rounder Jack Dillon of Woburn won over Johnny Gray in a heavy hitting battle. Jack O'Brien of Lawrence won the award over Tommy Dalton of Lawrence in a peppery six-round event.

There is great interest locally in the bout in Lawrence next Tuesday night between Billy Murphy of Lowell and Al Shubert of New Bedford. It is looked upon as the most important in the Lowell boy's career, as Shubert has held the New England featherweight title, and only the other night won over Young Manty, the present holder of the title. Shubert did not lift Manty's crown because of the fact that he was overweight, but only for the few additional pounds that Al carried he would today, hold the honor of having regained a title he held several years ago. Murphy realizes the importance of the battle and he is training daily with Kid Lewis of Lawrence and Joe St. Illaire of Somersworth, N. H. He wants to be at his best when he faces the "bear cat." If successful he will immediately go after Manty for a championship bout. It's a great chance for the popular "Acre" lad and all his local admirers wish him success in his undertaking.

LOWELL HIGH WILL PLAY MANCHESTER

The following members of the Lowell high school basketball team left this city this afternoon for Manchester, N. H., where they will play a return game with the high school team of that city this evening: Capt. Achin, Curtin, Ratchin, Georges, O'Sullivan, Macullum, Davis, Carpenter, Gonnellas and Casey.

In their last game here, the two teams battled to a 9-9 tie and since then Lowell has lost two games and won one, while Manchester has yet to meet defeat. Both teams have beaten Nashua.

EQUALS WILLIAMS' MARK

Duggan Scores Nine Goals—Young Cooney Stars for Lowell in Portland Game

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Worcester	32	23	58.2
Providence	27	27	50.0
New Bedford	25	29	42.1
Portland	24	26	48.0
Lowell	24	29	45.3

GAMES TONIGHT

Portland at Lowell.

NEW BEDFORD, Feb. 2.—The Whalers won over the Providence Gold Bugs here last night by the score of 9 to 6. Bill Duggan, of the home team, scored all of New Bedford's goals and thus equalled the season's record held by Kid Williams of the Lowell team. "Jigger" Higgins starred for Providence. The lineup and score:

NEW BEDFORD	PROVIDENCE
Duggan, lr	lr, Wiley
Davies, 2r	2r, Higgins
Dufresne, c	c, Evans
Gardner, hb	hb, Doherty
Welsh, g	g, Blount

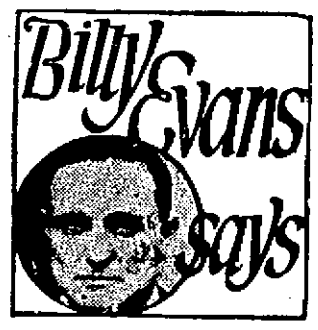
Rushes: Duggan 9, Wiley 9. Goals, Duggan 9, Higgins 4, Wiley 1, Evans 1. Stops: Welsh 35, Blount, 49. Referee, Finnell.

Portland 6, Lowell 3

PORTLAND, Feb. 2.—The Lowell team, without the services of Frank Hardy at center, but with a Lowell youth named Cooney filling in, went down to defeat at the hands of the Portland quintet here last night by the score of 6 to 3. It was a well played game, with Bouchard starring for the home team and Young Cooney featuring for Lowell. The lineup and score:

LOWELL	PORTLAND
K. Williams, lr	lr, Bouchard
Cooney, 2r	2r, R. Williams
Harkins, c	c, Donnelly
Morrison, hb	hb, Brown
Lovegreen, g	g, Pence

Rushes: K. Williams 9, Bouchard 3. Goals: Bouchard 4, R. Williams 1, Donnelly 1, Cooney 3. Fouls: Cooney 1, Donnelly 1. Stops: Pence 40, Lovegreen 41. Referee, Welsh.



The inexperience of the major league recruit crops out in many unusual ways, until he finally acquires the polish that fits him to be classed as a regular.

Making the grade in the big show is far from an easy proposition. The major leagues contain the very cream of the baseball talent. Every player is matching his wits against the opposition.

The inexperience of a White Sox rookie last summer saved Ed Walsh and myself considerable trouble. As a matter of fact, the act of the recruit proved a life saver for the umpires.

Cleveland was playing Chicago. If my memory serves me correctly, the bases were filled, two out and the score a tie. Edwards, a recruit southpaw, was doing the pitching for Cleveland.

It had been a wild contest, both managers using several pitchers and sending in many pinch hitters. In the ninth inning, with the bases filled, Manager Gleason of the Sox desired to use a pinch hitter, but the only player available was a recruit catcher by the name of Graham.

Ed Walsh, former White Sox pitcher, was umpiring back of the plate. Gleason finally decided to take a chance on the recruit, Graham and sent him up to bat.

The very first ball that Edwards pitched to Graham struck about a foot in front of the plate, and evading the frantic efforts of Catcher Steve O'Neill to break it down, the ball rolled to the grandstand. It sure was some wild pitch!

From my position back of the pitcher, I decided the game was over as the runner from third crossed the plate. Walsh, umpiring balls and strikes, also felt the same way, as he started to walk off the field the moment the run was scored. Then I saw Steve O'Neill grab him, and in a minute Walsh was surrounded by the entire Cleveland team, claiming the ball hit the batter. Such a claim is usually made in the pinch with the winning run going over.

All the batter needed to do was start for the bench after the runner had crossed the plate and the game would have ended so far as the umpires were concerned. As I walked to the plate to see what the trouble was, the batter, Graham, suddenly dashed to first base.

Immediately I realized the recruit had tipped off the play.

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ECHOES OF THE BUTLER-BROADWAY GAME

"That victory means the series for the Butlers", said Billy McGuire, the aggressive and clever captain of the Upper Gorham street basketball team yesterday in commenting on his team's success in winning over the Broadways on Wednesday night.

"We know we can beat the Acre club, and if you will look back over the other games in the series you will arrive at the conclusion that the Broadways haven't a thing on us. True they did hand us two beatings in a row and while their wonderful garrison finish in the second game deserves praise and admiration, such things only happen once in a lifetime, and we were caught napping and allowed them to overcome what we thought was a comfortable lead. We learned our lesson though and resolved right after that game to play a little differently, and I think we did in the last battle."

Continuing Billy said, "We did what many thought was impossible when we handed the Cadets three defeats in a row after being beaten in the first game. While we realize it's some task to duplicate the stunt against such a team as the Broadways, we know that such a thing is a possibility and we are out to accomplish it."

Jack Molloy, manager of the Broadways, looks forward with confidence to an ultimate Broadway triumph. "The Butlers are a good team, one of the best organized locally in recent years, but I still feel that we have a better balanced outfit, and that we will prove the claim in the next game. I have no alibis to offer. The boys played hard and kept right in the fight up until the final whistle. A few of the players were not at their best, due to injuries. Keyes particularly was in no condition to play. His back was strapped up, but he showed his gameness by insisting upon going in, even if only for a brief period. A couple of others were nursing bruises, that did not improve their speed. I realize that a few of the Butlers, too, were battered up a bit and as I said I am not attempting to detract from the Butler victory, or offering any excuses for losing. The men on both teams were a little off in shooting, but the importance of the game, I feel, had a lot to do with it. My men were confident, probably a little too confident. They felt there was nothing to it after winning two straight. They now realize the Butlers are a fighting outfit, like themselves, and they also know that they will have to travel at their best in order to land the honor. The defeat figure did the team some good. Now they are out to play as never before and I will be greatly disappointed if the series does not end next Monday night.

It seemed rather strange in local athletic competition to see two brothers on opposing teams, both trying their hardest to win out, and when occasion demanded, each going after the other strenuously in an endeavor to help his respective team. The Foley brothers, Joe of the Broadways, and Dick of the Butlers, are fine players. Both are small of stature, but their class demonstrates the truth of the ancient assertion, "Good stuff comes in small packages." Joe is the older and the more experienced of the two, but Dick is a comer. Each played an important part in last Wednesday night's game, and "big brother" Joe was the first to congratulate Dick on his team's success. Their playing, their spirit and their sincerity demand admiration. They are clean-cut young men, and a credit to any game.

The St. Peter's Cadets and the Butler Seconds will meet in the preliminary to the next Broadway-Butler game. An indication of the large number of teams in the city may be gained from the flock of youngsters desirous of a chance to play before the big games every night. The management promises that all will be given an opportunity in due time.

FAILS TO HIT SAFELY IN ONLY 17 GAMES

By N.E.A. Service

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—George Sisler last year broke two records held by Ty Cobb.

In addition, Sisler led the American league in batting, and was voted the most valuable player in the American league.

All of which makes the year 1922 stand out as the big season in the career of the Browns' star.

Sisler hit safely in 41 consecutive games. That feat shattered Cobb's record of 40 straight, made in 1911.

In 1911 Cobb batted .420, according to the averages. To be exact, his mark for the season was .4196. Last season Sisler swatted .4191, giving Sisler the shade by the fraction of a point.

In making his 1922 average, Sisler had only 17 hitless games. In 53 games he made one hit, in 35 he had two, in 25 he had three, while in 12 games he made four hits. Some swatting!

The Cleveland pitchers were easiest for Sisler. Against the Indians, Sisler had a batting average of .495.

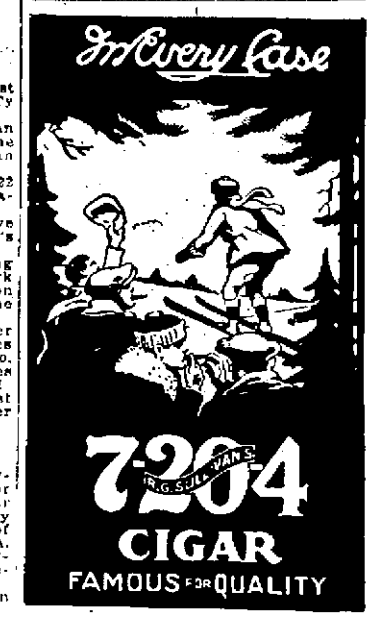
BILLIARDS CHAMPIONSHIP

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Edward Raynolds of New York, was sole possessor of first place in the National Amateur Pocket Billiards championship today the last day of play, as a result of his victory yesterday over Carl A. Vaughan of Chicago, 125 to 56. Raynolds has three victories and no defeats.

Second place is held by Vaughan with three victories and one defeat.

MATHEW BOWLING LEAGUE

The Mathew Bowling league will resume its schedule on the Crescent alleys this evening, after a three weeks' layoff, due to the recent show. Tonight's games will be hotly contested as there are four teams tied for second place. While there will probably be a few stiff arms, nevertheless good scores should be the outcome.



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JOHNNY WEISMUELLER REGAINS RECORD

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Johnny Weismueller, a consistent breaker of the world's swimming records, contesting under the colors of the Illinois Athletic club here last night at the Central A.A.U. championship meet, removed the only blot from his record by regaining the world's title in the 440 yard event in a 60 foot pool.

He clipped ½ and 1-5 seconds from the mark set by Richard Howell, a Chicago high school boy, who lowered Weismueller's previous world's record of 5.03 3-5 for the 440 yds. in recent competition with Norman Ross.

As a starter for the evening Weismueller broke his own world's record of 5.46 4-5 in the 500 yard swim in a 60 foot pool, lowering it 4 and 4-5 seconds.

MRS. FOX, 62, WINS OVER MISS COLLETT

BELLEAIR HEIGHTS, Fla., Feb. 2.—The best round of golf Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, R. I., women's golf champion, was capable of offering, failed to save her from defeat by Mrs. Caleb F. Fox, 62-year-old golfer of Huntington valley here yesterday.

The match between Miss Collett and Mrs. Fox, said to have been one of the most sensational ever played on the Belleair course, was the final of the annual January tournament here. The round was hard fought and close, Mrs. Fox winning by a hair's breadth with a card of 79, while Miss Collett's score was 80, with one hole approximated.

MRS. MALLORY MAY NOT PLAY

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—It was doubtful early today whether Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory, national woman tennis champion, would be well enough to play her semi-final matches for the single championship of the Heights Casino which Mrs. Mallory is defending.

Mrs. Mallory is suffering with a severe cold.

Two men's teams will participate in a special doubles tournament today. In the first match, Vincent Richards of Yonkers, N. Y., and Samuel Hardy, former captain of Davis cup teams, will meet Richard Norris Williams, of Boston, and Watson M. Washburn of New York.

The second match will be between two New York combinations, Dean Mathey and Karl Behr, against Francis T. Hunter and Zenzo Shimizu.

ROLL OFF AT Y.M.C.A.

Owing to a tie at 810 between Chas. Mason and Ralph A. Forsaith, the roll-off in the Y.M.C.A. bowling alleys for a $5 razor failed to develop a winner. The contest is for the best high string total.

BOWLING

There were several league contests on the local alleys last night. The teams and scores:

COLUMBIA TEXTILE CO. BOWLING LEAGUE

TEAM STANDING

	Won	Lost
Shading	17	3
Shipping	13	6
Office	11	13
Packing	12	10
Grey	8	16
Machine	6	18

High team total, Shipping, 1878.
High team single, Shipping, 481.
High individual 3-string, Roarke, 309.
High individual single, James Scanlon, 141.
Individual averages:
C. Roarke 97.1, L. Inglis 93.7, James Scanlon 92.5, Sweeney 91.16, Griffin 91.17, Mack 91.10, Hurley 90.16, Jer. Scanlon 89.11, Monohan 89.10, Eastham 88.16, Daley 88.9, Powers 88.9, Wilkins 88.3, Breen 88.3, McGrath 88.2, Pigeon 87.6, Dawson 87.1, Foley 86.4, Stapleton 85.9, Sayers 85.9, Holton 85.3, Meehan 85, Riley 84.8, Hobden 84.6, Dainton 84.2, Donovan 84.1, Delehanty 83.10, L. Sexton 83.7, Hart 82.7, Holland 82, Latham 82, Connors 81.4, Carty 82, Archibald 80.7, Hamilton 79.1, P. McCarthy 78.4, Ed. Saxton 77.7, Crossley 77.6, Ed. Cottingham 75.10, Gorman 75.7, Mullin 73.5.

LAWRENCE MFG. CO. LEAGUE

HOSE FINISH

Clark*	88	104	99	291
Esterbrook	90	87	124	301
MacLean	76	115	95	286
Holt	80	109	80	269
Bigelow	84	112	102	298
Totals	417	528	500	1445

YARD

Desjardins	105	95	93	293
Michelin	91	86	92	269
Riley	81	103	81	265
Caderette	82	84	85	261
Kane	111	97	96	304
Totals	480	466	447	1392

BOARDING

Traversy	103	102	101	306
Thomas	88	90	78	256
Desloges	114	95	106	315
Geoffroy	91	108	80	279
Harvey	103	106	124	333
Totals	498	501	489	1489

HOSE KNIT IND.

McGirl	92	92	98	282
Perreault	114	118	85	317
Pepin	92	86	92	270
Marcotte	90	92	103	285
Senior	91	99	95	285
Totals	479	484	476	1439

SHIRT FOLD

Vance	108	109	89	306
Clay	86	85	95	265
Lussier	91	97	104	292
Vezina	86	148	86	320
Nault	90	108	89	287
Totals	460	547	463	1470

SHIRT FOLD IND.

L. Lussier	78	80	78	236
Page	79	91	74	244
F. Lussier	87	97	60	216
Nichols	78	85	89	252
Bolduc	89	86	80	255
Totals	411	439	383	1233

DYE HOUSE

Benoit	89	94	84	267
Sherburne	90	99	116	305
Baribeault	87	89	89	265
Gagnon	97	72	85	254
Spriggs	97	94	89	270
Totals	460	450	462	1372

HOSE KNIT

Swindells	92	86	85	263
Curry	86	109	100	295
Lemire	105	91	105	301
Taylor	100	144	85	329
Sewell	105	101	90	296
Totals	488	531	465	1485

SILESIA MILLS LEAGUE

MACHINE SHOP

Berry	102	108	105	315
Mahoney	73	62	81	216
McTeague	80	94	81	255
Whitehead	92	82	117	291
Dixon	97	82	103	282
Totals	444	423	487	1356

SPINNING

Hoyt	88	92	92	272
Abrahamson	84	101	94	279
Walsh	62	79	76	217
Carkin	99	96	78	273
Moore	96	85	87	268
Totals	429	456	424	1299

DRAWING

Tyrell	95	119	103	317
Rousseau	81	87	95	263
Stavely	92	97	78	267
Exley	88	86	86	260
O'Connell	83	92	83	258
Totals	429	481	445	1355

COMBING

Shaw	79	83	85	246
Kershaw	89	95	77	261
Moore	101	84	78	273
Johnson	90	96	90	276
McEnaney	80	90	94	264
Totals	438	468	424	1330

STOREHOUSE

Livingstone	79	94	86	259
Foster	84	87	70	241
Syvret	74	107	92	273
Gilmore	98	83	84	265
Ryan	83	116	104	303
Totals	418	487	436	1341

WOOL SORTERS

Shurtleff	102	80	86	268
Hoyle	89	85	88	262
Kinch	87	90	103	250
Joe McTeague	81	96	92	269
Smith	98	82	103	283
Totals	457	433	472	1362

WARRIORS VS. BUTLER A.A.

WARRIORS

Flanders	107	94	115	316
Mason	111	117	91	319
King	88	110	95	293
Robinson	100	90	93	283
White	92	91	107	290
Totals	604	508	501	1613

BUTLER A.A.

Thurber	113	104	89	306
Grady	96	91	107	294
Panton	116	106	103	325
Whitelock	120	113	135	368
McQuaid	97	104	107	308
Totals	542	518	541	1601

WATERSIDE MILLS

ZERO WEATHER

Silveria	101	106	96	303
Buchanan	128	91	97	316
Sweeney	102	99	51	252
Moss	102	91	110	303
Fairbrother	96	93	98	287
Totals	529	480	452	1491

DUVETYNS

Houston	95	79	95	269
Carmody	99	94	97	290
K. K. Klumes	72	83	78	233
Waterhouse	103	82	93	282

SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP RACES

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The Chicago program of the national ice skating championship races will be transferred to Endicott, virtually intact, entrants, officials, medals and events, when the meet opens Sunday afternoon. Champion speed skaters from the United States and Canada, will assemble for the events, while a bevy of women experts and fancy skaters also are in competition on the program.

The events Sunday afternoon are the 220-yard, three-quarter mile and one-mile races. Monday's events which probably will be held at night, are the half-mile, 440-yard and three-mile contests.

LOOKING FOR GAMES

The St. Patrick's J.H.N. basketball team would like games with the Lowell Boys' club, Highland quintet, Y.M.H.A. Juniors, Broadways, O.M.I. Cadets, C.M.A.C. and Sharf Nobles. The team is coached by Brother Herman, C.F.X., and is having a difficult time trying to arrange games. The members of the team are George Ashe, Primeville, Garrity, O'Sullivan, Boyle, O'Brien and several others of equal prominence. Last year, the St. Patrick's played a sensational series with the St. Anne's and the fans would welcome a repetition.

CHANCE PLANS CLUB OF YOUNGSTERS FOR HUB

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—Young players, who will keep fighting at all times, will represent the Boston club of the American league this year, according to Manager Frank L. Chance, who is here arranging his business preparatory to leaving for the east February 14.

"It is my intention to build up a club of youngsters," said Chance. "Veterans might help me a little, but I will have to have the young players to win the pennant."

"It takes a club of youngsters some time to get playing together, and I believe the Red Sox will make a great fight the last of the season."

BOB COOK'S TROPHIES IN YALE GYMNASIUM

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 2.—Crew and coaching cups which belong to Robert Johnston Cook—the Bob Cook who made Yale famous on the water—have been placed in the trophy room at Yale gymnasium. They were presented to the university by Mr. Cook shortly before his death. The cups are six in number, the first one bearing date of 1873, when he won his first race, and the sixth is that given him by the 1898 freshman crew.

JIM BARNES, STAR GOLFER, QUITS RANKS OF BACHELORS

"Long Jim" Barnes, golfer extraordinary, has added another big reason for desiring to topple Gene Sarazen and Walter Hagen into discard, and once again reign as champion. The reason is Miss Caroline Haggerty, who recently became Mrs. Jim Barnes.

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100 RADICALS HELD

Arrested Following Clash in Mexico City in Which 14 Persons Were Killed

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 2.—(By the Associated Press) The tramway lines were the centre of attention today as the city recovered from the excitement created by yesterday's riot between street car strikers and the soldiers placed on the cars to protect men at work. More than 100 radicals are under arrest as a result of the disturbance.

Fourteen persons are known to have been killed and more than forty wounded during the affray, which occurred in front of labor headquarters.

Federal troops patrolled the district throughout the night.

POLICE MUST NOT SMOKE, CHEW, OR HOLD TOOTH-PICKS IN THEIR MOUTHS

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—Boston policemen must not smoke, chew, or hold toothpicks in their mouths while in uniform and in a public place, under a list of "Don't's" issued by Police Commissioner Wilson. Policemen who fail to live up to the requirements of the order will be punished for conduct unbecoming an officer.

Police Seek Auto That Struck Blind Man

ardson was being helped across the street by another man, when a machine came rapidly toward them, struck the blind man, literally tore him from the grasp of his companion and hurled him 10 feet into the roadway. The automobile never slackened its pace, although several persons obtained its registration number and notified police headquarters.

Mr. Richardson was taken to the Auburn Motor Co. salesroom in Thorndike street, where it was found he had been painfully bruised on one leg and generally shaken up. He would not consent to go to a hospital and his wife was sent for in order that he might be taken home.

Books containing 1923 registration numbers as high as 118,495 have not yet been received at police headquarters and, therefore, the department was unable to find out the name of the owner. The number was broadcasted to all patrolmen, with orders to arrest on sight.

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SIX IN FIERCE BATTLE WITH MANIAC

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Four policemen and two former sailors fought a desperate battle with a six foot maniac on the promenade of Brooklyn bridge, early today, during which they were nearly catapulted into the river.

The man, Jacob Yarimoff, was finally subdued, placed in a straightjacket and taken to a hospital. The police said he exhibited almost superhuman strength.

Three Fold Investigation Springfield Explosion

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the location of the gas works on the edge of the business district constituted a menace that should be removed, took steps to apply the city's new zoning laws which would put the plant in a section farther removed from the business blocks, churches and banks that were damaged by the explosion of yesterday. But the fact that the gas works proper suffered only a few broken windows and that the purifying plant was damaged only in part and its machinery not at all, left the amount of destruction less than the 50 per cent which would make it possible to prohibit rebuilding in the same place. Company officials announced that they were putting their plant in permanent shape again.

Windows Smashed Two Miles Away

Although buildings two miles away were shaken by the blast severely enough to break windows and crack walls and ceilings, and several structures of importance in business or public activities situated within a more immediate radius were wrecked, the gas plant continued to operate.

Pointing out that there was no tank involved in the purifying process in which the crude manufactured gas is conducted through filter boxes sealed in water to eliminate impurities, Superintendent Hall said it was free gas that exploded under the roof, and that the machinery was not affected, except that some of the boxes were covered with wreckage. Captain Brugi said the fact that there was a leak of some size, was noticed yesterday, and an attempt was being made to find it when the explosion occurred. Although the foremen and employes were at work on this job they were less seriously hurt than those outside the building, who were felled by walls blown outward or roof fragments that came showering down.

All three deaths were of men in the gas works yard or adjoining streets.

Plate Glass Supply Exhausted

The supply of plate glass in Springfield was exhausted yesterday and today the work of boarding up the hundreds of shop and office windows that went out with the explosion continued. Main street and other streets in the business district were marked not by the usual window displays, but by storm-windowed or boarded fronts. Business was resumed, although the courthouse, the city hall and many offices had to suspend ordinary activities yesterday because of the damage to property, and the shock to employes by the explosion.

Seven On Danger List

Seven of the injured were carried on the danger lists of the three hospitals at which they were under treatment. It was not thought, however, that the number of dead would be increased by more than one or two.

Insurance adjusters were estimating damage, the amount of which was in the hundreds of thousands of dollars. Whether it would reach half a million, was a question on which no two officials could agree.

Suits For $57,000

No authoritative statement concerning the cause of the explosion has yet been forthcoming but state investigators who have interviewed six men employed in the purifying tank building, where it is admitted the explosion occurred, said they were convinced that gas leaked from a water-locked valve in which the water had become low. How the gas ignited, is not known for the men interviewed agree that no one wash smoking.

The list of casualties remained unchanged today, with three dead. There are four persons on the danger list in hospitals. Twenty-five persons remain in hospitals and 28 have been discharged.

Suits totalling $57,000 were brought today against the Springfield Gas Light Co., for property damage, resulting from the explosion.

Spark Caused Explosion

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—The explosion in the purifying plant of the Springfield Gas Light Co. yesterday was caused primarily by a spark from an electric elevator in the plant, the department of public safety said today. This statement was based, it was said, on information received from several sources, but without official reports as yet.

The spark was struck off from the elevator and it passed through a room in the plant in which there was an accumulation of gas, it was said. The explosion that followed in turn started another explosion of a larger quantity of gas in the mixing department. The department of public safety information did not go far enough to show how the gas that was exploded had made its escape.

Food Supplies Getting Low

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fere with food shipments but the Germans contend the congestion of rolling stock at the frontiers is inevitably causing much interference.

Resumption of partial train service is reported from the occupied areas. While there is nothing definite to show that the railroad strike settlement reported Thursday night has been made effective throughout the Ruhr, the strikers appear to have gone back to a large extent in the Cologne area, as forecast, and on many of the interior railroad lines in the Ruhr the German employes are reported again at work.

Some trains began operating in and out of Duesseldorf, where the station was reopened after being closed a week.

The appeal of German labor to the American congress, asking American help to "save Europe and the world from inevitable disaster," is declared in Berlin messages to have been made in entire independence of German official circles.

An appeal sent by the archbishop and bishops of Sweden to President Harding points to the serious condition in Central Europe and asks American assistance for obtaining a straightforward agreement between the powers to relieve the tension.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—A firm tone prevailed at the opening of today's stock market. Baldwin was pushed up 1¼ points to 132¾ and most of the other industrial leaders, such as U. S. Steel, Studebaker and the Standard Oil shares moved to higher ground. New high records for the year were established by Corn Products, Phillips Petroleum and General Electric, the last named touching 188. Some of the coppers were slightly heavy.

The closing was strong. Trading slackened in the final dealings but the high prices were well maintained at the late demand most effective in the sugar stocks.

Money Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Foreign exchanges irregular, Great Britain demand $4.67; cables $4.67¼; 60-day bills on banks $4.61 15-16; France demand 6.21; cables 6.21½; Italy demand 4.81½; cables 4.82; Belgium demand 5.47½; cables 5.48; Germany demand .0027½; cables .0028; Holland demand 39.30; cables 39.32; Norway demand

U. S. government bonds closed; Liberty's 3½'s 101.46; first 4's 98.10; second 4's 98.10; first 4¼'s 98.48; second 4¼'s 98.12; third 4¼'s 98.74; fourth 4¼'s 98.28; Uncalled Victory 4¾'s 100.22; U. S. government 4¼'s 99.94.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Cotton futures opened steady, March, 27.15; May, 27.47; July, 27.07; October, 24.88; December, 24.57.

Cotton futures closed steady, March 27.64; May 27.90; July 27.42; Oct. 25.07; Dec. 24.72.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	46¼	45¾	46¼
Am Beet Sug	39¼	38¼	39¼
Am Can	33	32¼	32¾
do pf	112⅝	112½	112½
Am Cot Oil	15½	15	15½
Am H & L pf	68	68	68¼
Am Loco	123¾	123	123
Am Smelut	58¼	57	58
do pf	100⅝	100	100⅝
Am Sug	78⅞	77¾	78¾
Am Wool	95⅞	95½	95⅞
Anaconda	47⅞	47½	47¾
Atch	101	101	101
do pf	90	90	90
At Gulf	20	19½	20
Baldwin	133½	131⅝	133½
B & O	47½	46¾	47⅜
Beth Steel B	62½	61¼	62
do pf 8 pc	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
B R T	12	12¾	12
Cal Pete	97¼	77⅞	79
do pf	95	95	95
Can Pac	143½	142½	142½
Cent Lea	34¼	33¾	33⅞
do pf	70¾	70½	70¾
Ches & O	75	74⅝	74⅞
C & Gt W pf	12⅝	12½	12⅝
C R I & P	34¾	34½	34¾
Chile	29¾	29½	29½
Col G & E	110¾	108	110½
Con Gas	67⅞	67	67½
Corn Prod	133½	130	133½
Cru Steel	72⅞	71¾	72¾
Cuba Cane	14¼	13⅝	14¼
Del & Hud	116⅞	116	116⅞
Erie	12	11½	11¾
do pf	18⅞	17⅞	18½
do 2d	13½	13	13
Gen Elec	190½	188	189
Gen Motors	13¾	13⅜	13½
Gt No pf	74⅞	74½	74½
Gt N Ore ctf	30¾	30⅛	30⅜
Int Mer Mar	10¼	10	10¼
do pf	40¾	40	40⅜
Int Paper	51	51	51
Kennecott	36⅞	36¼	36⅞
K City S	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞
Lehigh Val	69⅝	68¾	69¾
L & Nash	131	131	131
Maxwell	45½	45¼	45½
do 1st	16	14¾	16
Midvale	27¾	27⅝	27¾
Mo Pac	17¼	17	17⅛
Nat Lead	127½	126½	127½
do pf	113¾	113¾	113¾
N Y Air B	28¼	28	28⅛
N Y Cent	94⅞	94¾	94¾
N Y & N H	22	21½	21½
Pere Marquette	38¼	38	38¼
do pf	66	66	66
Sinclair Oil	32⅞	32	32⅞
No Pac	75⅞	75½	75¾
O C	27⅞	27¾	27⅞
Ont & West	19¾	19¾	19¾
Pan Am	89	87¼	89
Penn	46½	46	46¼
Peo Gas	93⅞	93	93⅞
Pitts Coal	61⅞	61¼	61¼
P W V	38⅛	37½	37¾
Pres Steel	60	60	60
Pullman	128¾	127¾	128
Ry St Sp Co	111	110	111
Reading	78½	77	77¾
Rep I & S	48½	48	48¼
Royal D	47	46	47
St Paul	23⅝	23¼	23¼
So Pac	61⅞	60¼	61⅛
So Ry	30⅛	29	29¾
do pf	68	66⅞	68
Stude	115½	115	115¼
Tenn Cop	11⅝	11¼	11⅝
Tex Pac	22⅞	22¼	22¾
U Pac	137⅞	137⅛	137⅞
do pf	75⅞	75¼	75⅞
U S I Al	66	64¾	65⅞
U S Rub	58½	57¾	58⅛
do pf	101½	101⅜	101½
U S Steel	105	104⅝	105⅜
Utah Cop	63⅞	62⅞	63⅞
Va Chem	23½	21	22⅞
Wab	9¾	9⅝	9¾
do A	28⅞	27¾	28
Willys	7⅞	7¼	7⅞
Wes'house	63⅞	62⅝	62⅞
Wes Un	113	112	113

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Am Pneu pfd	17½	17½	17½
Am T & T	122¼	121⅞	122¼
Am Wool pfd	110½	110½	110½
Bos & Me	18¼	18¼	18¼
Butte & Sup	30⅞	29½	29¾
Cal & Ariz	55	54	55
Cul & Hec	293	292	293
Carson Hill	8¼	8	8
Cehten	9	9	9
Cop Range	37¼	37	37¼
E Butte	8¼	8	8
Eastern S S	91⅝	88	91⅝
Franklin	1⅜	1¾	1⅜
Grey & Davis	12⅝	12½	12⅝
Helvita	70	70	70
Isle Roy	21½	21½	21½
Lib McN	7	7	7
Mass Gas	83	83	83
do pfd	71	71	71
Mayflower	4¼	4¼	4¼
Nat Leather	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Nevada	14¼	14⅛	14¼
*New Cornelia	18⅝	18	18
No Butte	9½	9¼	9½
Pond Creek	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Quincy	33½	33½	33½
Ray Con	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Reece Buttonhole	16¼	16	16
St Mary	42	42	42
Stewart	90	89½	89½
Sup & Bos	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Swift & Co	107½	106⅝	107¼
Swift Intl	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛
Trinity	95	92	95
U Apex	3	3	3
U Cons	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
U Metal	98	98	98
U Sh M	19⅞	19¼	19⅞
U S Smel	36	35⅝	35½
do pfd	46	46	46
Ventura	28	27⅞	28
Waldorf	10¼	10	10⅛
Wolverine	7½	7½	7½
Wickwire Spencer	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛

New Dist. Court Location

Continued from Page One

as well for a down town building. He voiced the opinion that $60,000 would be sufficient to erect new quarters, and while he appreciated the position of the county commissioners in being economical, he felt that the dignity of the county and the community should be considered. Other cities in the commonwealth have their own exclusive district court buildings and Lowell, he felt, should be no exception.

Judge John J. Pickman told the commissioners that "no doubt better accommodations are needed. That is an accepted fact. It goes without saying that we should have a building down town, but if we can't get the money from the county commissioners, we must either contend with these miserable quarters or get the best we can. I believe in getting half a loaf, if I can't get a whole one." The judge then proposed getting rid of the license commission quarters in the present district court and sending it with "it's ten-cent business" to city hall. He also reviewed the deplorable toilet facilities in the Market street site and asked for "reasonable, not high-grade" conditions.

Judge Enright endorsed everything said by the previous speakers and added that the present place is impossible and that, according to information gleaned from the city inspector of buildings, it would cost $100,000 to remodel the present building.

J. Joseph Hennessy, Arthur L. Eno, Albert S. Howard, John M. O'Donoghue and James E. O'Donnell also spoke in favor of the erection of a new building, Mr. Hennessy stating that such a move would be a blessing to the community just as is the Auditorium, which was strenuously objected to.

The county commissioners were visibly impressed by the contentions of the members of the bar, and agreed to take the matter under advisement. It was noticeable at the meetings as Commissioner Wardwell remarked, that no one seemed to favor the old Lowell jail as a possible location.

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8:30-10.00	WHAS (Louisville, Ky.)	360 Meters
10:30-11.30	WGY (Schenectady, N. Y.)	400 Meters
11:45-1 A. M.	WSB (Atlanta, Ga.)	400 Meters

Three Children Asphyxiated by Smoke

MONTREAL, Feb. 2.—The three little children of Dr. and Mrs. Louis Vaive were asphyxiated by smoke when fire destroyed their home today.

BALLOON DAY
Saturday
AT
A. M. Nelson's Candy Stores

2000 Beautiful Gold and Silver Gas Balloons to be given away FREE all day Saturday, one with each lb. of Nelson's Fresh Home-Made Candy. Two Balloons FREE with each lb. of Nelson's Best Mixture Chocolates, Caramels and Bon Bons **80c lb.**

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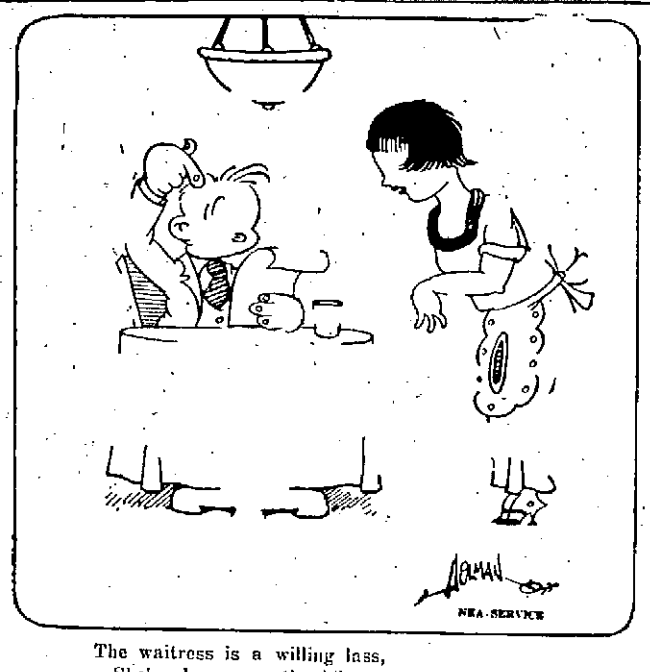
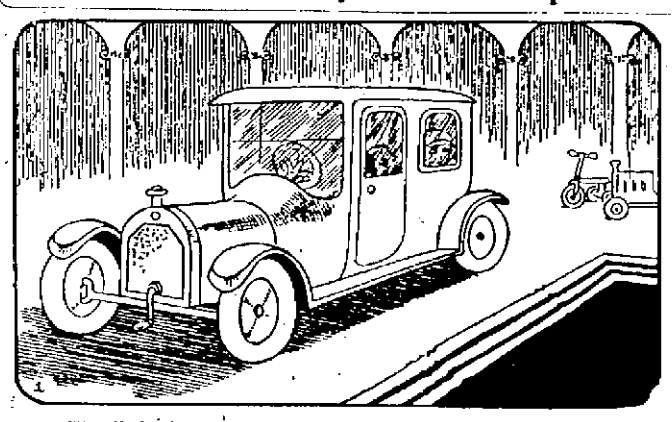


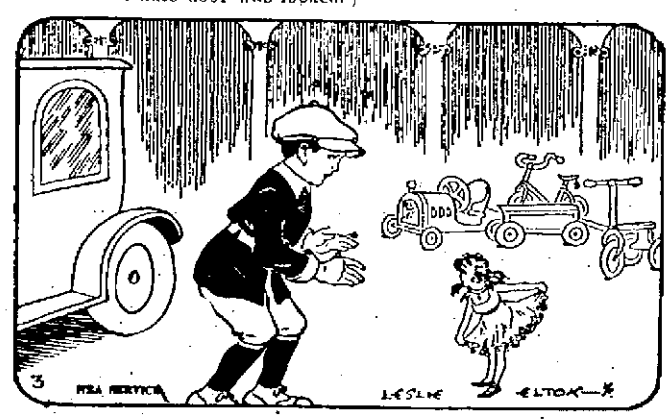
The waitress is a willing lass,
She's always on the hike.
You sit down at the table and
She brings you what you like.

Jack Daw in Toyland. Chapter 3



The little doors on the toy auto hid Jack and Flip from the view of the many people who passed through the store. Jack peeked out now and then to see if the man who had ordered him to take Flip out of the store had returned. Finally he grew drowsy and both Jack and Flip fell asleep.

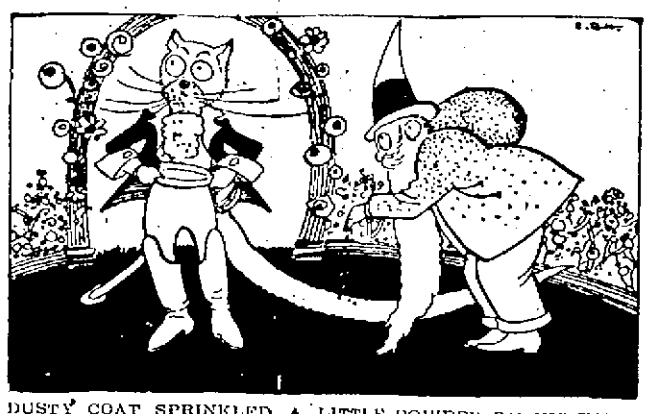
It seemed hours later to Jack, when he opened his eyes again. And it must have been some time later for when he peeked out of the auto doors there was no one in sight. Flip then started to whine. "We'll have to get out of here," Jack told his dog. Then he found the auto door was locked.



"Hello, there," shouted Jack, hoping to attract somebody's attention. "Won't someone let me out of this auto?" Then he heard tiny footsteps approaching, and a little doll walked up and said, "I will open the door for you." Jack was very much surprised, but he quickly stepped out. (Continued.)

Adventures of The Twins

PUSS IN BOOTS



DUSTY COAT SPRINKLED A LITTLE POWDER ON HIS TAIL AS HE PASSED AND HE TURNED INTO PUSS-IN-BOOTS AT ONCE.

Dreamland was a queer place but just the same everybody had a good time.

Nancy and Nick and Dusty Coat saw to that. With a pinch of his magic powder here and a sprinkle of magic dust there, the little fairy sandman did wonderful things.

One thing he did was this.

After they had played school for awhile, everybody got tired and wanted to play something else.

"Let's play 'Pussy Wants a Corner,'" called out Wally Woodchuck.

"All right! Who'll be puss?" asked Nick.

"Let's get Caesar the Cat," said Nancy.

Instantly Jack Jumping Mouse said, "Oh, no, no, no! Please don't," and nearly shivered his tail off.

And Chirk Chipmunk said "Oh, no, no, no! Please don't!" and nearly shivered his ears off.

"Oh, he won't hurt you!" declared Dusty Coat. "Because I'm going to change him. When he comes to Dreamland I'll stand beside the gate and sprinkle him with some of my magic powder, and instantly he will turn into a black patent leather Puss-In-Boots, just as Buster Brown Bear turned into a Teddy Bear when he came to Dreamland. Puss-in-Boots has a kind heart and wouldn't hurt anyone. No one ever hurts anyone else in Dreamland—that is why I brought you all here."

"Oh, all right!" agreed everybody. So Dusty Coat said a charm:

"Puss in your corner,
Like little Jack Horner,
Oh, please to shut your eye,
And when you're asleep,
Off to Dreamland creep,
You'll get here by and by."

Almost instantly Caesar the Cat entered the little rose gate to Dreamland. Dusty Coat sprinkled a little powder on his tail as he passed, and he turned into Puss-in-Boots at once, politely bowing to everybody. He was as shiny as a new overshoe. He wore a red coat, red boots and a brave white ruffle around his neck.

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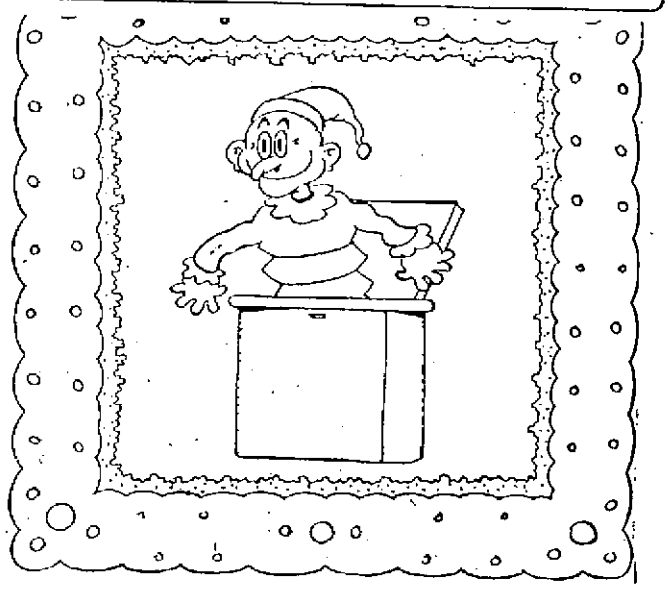
COLOR VALENTINE

From a Boy to His Mother

(For you to color and send to your mother)



Pretend this Jack-in-the-box is me,
And give me half a start,
And I will be your Valentine
And jump right in your heart.

JUNE MATHIS GOOD FOR A MILLION

BY JACK JUNGMEYER
N.E.A. Staff Correspondent

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29—A good many people have a million dollars, but not many are accounted worth a million to an employer.

June Mathis is.

When Goldwyn Pictures made her editorial director recently, that's what they insured her life for as a sort of replacement valuation.

Although celebrated as a scenarist, Miss Mathis regards herself as a working woman. She isn't temperamental. Or, if she is, she has her temperament under her own control—perfectly.

She's Doesn't Threaten

"Even the directors," she says, "became my friends when I didn't rave because sometimes they thought best to alter my pet scenes. I fight for what I consider important, but I don't huff and puff and threaten to blow the house down."

Miss Mathis supervises the selection and progress of pictures. She sits with directors on the set and in projection room. She titles and she edits and she helps to cut.

It's a job many high-salaried men have failed at.

"When I gave up the stage ten years ago to enter this field," she explains, "I saw that adaptation of famous plays and books was a weak spot in the industry. Nobody wanted to do such work—not romantic enough."

Not Bad Interest

So it was a branch of the business in which Miss Mathis specialized. The result is that she draws now more than $65,000 a year—not a bad rate of interest on $1,000,000—for duties that others consider beneath them.

She has wide cheeks, full gray eyes and what she frankly calls "fat, to nourish the nerves." Her poise is perfect. She gives the impression of tremendous reserves of energy.

Her famous "Four Horsemen," "Blood and Sand" and her forthcoming heroic "Ben Hur" suggest an almost masculine boldness, but Miss Mathis is thoroughly feminine, even to concealing her age, while I guess in the late 30's.

Matter of Time

From stage and story structure, she has learned to apportion comedy and drama for satisfactory workaday, as well as for box office successes.

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JUNE MATHIS

Tragedy too long sustained becomes ludicrous, and vice versa. One must know how much to give to each in life as well as in the movies."

LAUTMAN

Mortimer Lautman, Pittsburg department store executive, for whose arrest a general police alarm has been broadcasted. Lautman vanished from New York with $76,000 in cash.

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All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

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BAKER'S MILL REMNANT STORE—Moved to 212 Merrimack st.

GAS RANGES—In perfect condition, as good as new, $15, $18 and $22. O. P. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st. Stovink 25c.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 80

UPRIGHT PIANO—Have a beautiful mahogany, Colonial piano for sale, brand new, want to place in some refined home with party who is considering buying. This is a real bargain. Will accept terms from responsible person. Write R-16, Sun Office.

PIANOS—A few good bargains in new and used ones, at Hounsell's, 704 Bridge st., near 10th st. Open evenings. Tel. 6013-M.

SPECIAL AT THE STORES 82

A. OLSZANSKI VARIETY STORE—110 Lakeview ave. Tel. 2753.

USED PIANOS—A few good bargains in used pianos and player pianos. Prices are right. Instruments guaranteed. Bon Marche.

FURS 83

HOME FUR CO.—G. B. Moody. Tel. 653-X. I solicit your patronage because I can give you a genuinely good buy in fur coats. A large assortment, reliably sold. Furs remodeled and repaired at reasonable prices.

RAZORS HONED 84

RAZORS HONED—Our expert hones, concaves, resets and rehandles razors a little better than most everybody else. Howard, 197 Central st.

LANDSCAPE GARDENER 87

TREE PRUNING—Expert fruit tree and shrubbery pruning and spraying at reasonable prices. Now is a good time for such work. Hugo Hill landscape gardener. Tel. 3609-R. Mail address, P. O. Box 1073, Lowell.

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DRESSMAKING at 31 Sidney st. Catherine Flinegan.

TYPEWRITERS—New, rebuilt and second hand machines of all leading makes at reasonable prices. Our rental charges by the month are moderate. Prince's Arcade, 108 Merrimack st. to 55 Middle st.

Rooms—Board

ROOMS FOR RENT 90

2 FURNISHED ROOMS to let for light housekeeping adults only. 419 Chelmsford st. Tel. 4877-X. Mrs. Pierce.

FURNISHED KITCHENETTE, 1 or 2 rooms, in Highlands, to let, all modern, 461 Westford st. Tel. Conn.

LARGE FRONT ROOM to let, 111 Westford st. Tel. 1996-R.

Real Estate For Rent

APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 94

TENEMENT, CONFECTIONERY and ice cream store to let on Pawtucket blvd, opposite bath house. Call after 6 p. m. Tel. 6102.

TENEMENTS to let, 3, 4, 5 and 6 rooms, all improvements. Inquire 154 Woburn St., So. Lowell. Tel. 4495-W. S. Christman.

4 AND 6-ROOM TENEMENT to let, steam heat. All modern improvements. 420 Fletcher st., between Butterfield and Varney sts. Tel. 674 or 4657-W.

NICE PLEASANT TENEMENT to let on second floor of two-family house, at 32 Stanley st. Rent reasonable. Tel. 6480.

4-ARM 4-ROOM TENEMENT to let at 30 Chapel st. Inquire 22 Linden st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let, hot and cold water, bath. Inquire 449 Chelmsford st.

6-ROOM APARTMENT with garage to let, in Highlands, modern. Tel. 6073-J

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let with bath, 148 Powell st.

6-ROOM COTTAGE to let, rent $3 per week, 232 First st. Tel. 2061-J.

6-ROOM FLAT to let all modern improvements. Tel. 3595. Apply Mrs. Gerson, 199 Hale st.

6-ROOM FLAT TO LET, Tyler Park, modern improvements, garage. Tel. 6073-J.

6-ROOMS to let at 85 George st. Apply 355 High st. Tel. 2054-M.

BUSINESS PLACES FOR RENT 96

WELL LOCATED STORE to let, 945 Lakeview ave. Rent low. Apply 278 Westford st.

HOUSES FOR SALE 101

CENTRAL ST., Near—30 tenements and two stores, rents for $5600 a year. For further information call at the office of M. Gomes, Bankers Exchange Corp., 200 Central st.

CENTRAL St., near—15 tenements, four and five rooms each, gas, toilet, rents for $1608 a year. Price $8000. M. Gomes, Bankers' Exchange Corp., 200 Central st. Phone 3473.

GORHAM ST.—On car line, good 7 room cottage, gas, bath, hot and cold water, open plumbing, electric lights, furnace heat, large 2½ story barn, 1 acre of very good land, several fruit trees, house in perfect repair. Price $4300. M. Gomes, Bankers' Exchange, 200 Central st. Phone 3473.

HOSFORD SQ., Near—A 4-tenement block with 5 rooms each, gas and toilet in each tenement. The property is in very good repair and must be sold to settle an estate, rents for $60 per month. Price for quick sale is $4300. M. Gomes, Bankers' Exchange Corp., 200 Central st. Phone 3473.

LAWRENCE AND ROGERS STS., near—Six-room cottage. Gas, bath, hot and cold water, open plumbing. Price for a quick sale, $2800. M. Gomes, Bankers' Exchange Corp., 200 Central st. Tel. 3473.

BUSINESS PROPERTY 103

150-ACRE FARM for sale, new Colonial house, 8 rooms, running water, house and barn, pair horses, 5 cows, tools, ton truck, best markets; fine location; easy terms. A. L. Martin, R.F.D. No. 2

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.20	6.40	2.30	3.10	6.32	7.36	z6.35	8.21
6.23	7.26	6.00	7.08	10.54	12.19	10.53	11.58
6.33	7.36	7.35	8.29	5.14pm	6.26	2.20	4.00
8.44	7.30	b8.15	9.31	7.12	8.25	5.14	6.18
b6.30	7.00	9.00	9.39	10.20	11.38	6.55	8.18
6.56	8.00	10.00	10.39			9.58	11.18
7.13	8.03	12.30	1.11				
7.56	8.37	b1.05	2.08				
8.01	9.43	2.30	3.41				
10.05	11.05	4.00	4.43				
11.17	12.00	4.05	5.24				
12.07	1.01	5.00	5.42				
1.30	2.38	b5.21	6.42				
3.45	5.43	5.35	6.35				
b3.30	4.19	5.50	7.17				
4.00	4.45	6.14	7.22				
5.12	5.25	8.00	8.41				
5.35	6.40	8.30	9.11				
b6.05	7.28	10.30	11.40				
7.27	8.10	11.30	z12.40				
8.17	9.00						
9.55	10.45						

Sunday Trains Portland Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
12.07	1.20	3.29	4.45
3.56	4.55	5.10	6.45
5.26	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.55	10.05		

Sunday Trains Southern Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.44	7.30	8.46	9.35
7.12	8.03	10.00	10.30
8.30	9.40	11.00	11.30
9.13	10.10	1.00	2.04
10.20	11.17	5.00	6.24
2.53	3.35	7.15	8.25
5.03	5.56	8.00	8.41
8.06	8.50	8.30	9.11
8.38	9.50	9.25	10.35
8.55	10.05	10.45	12.03
9.55	10.50		

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THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION, BOSTON

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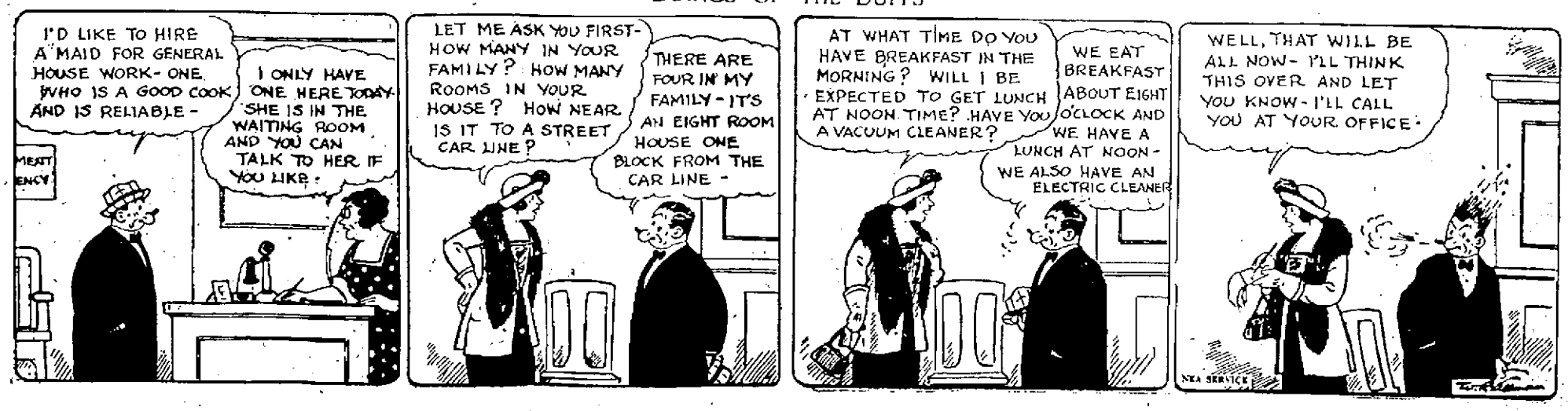

TO EXTEND ITS WATER SERVICE

Southern Pacific Granted Permission by Interstate Commerce Commission

To Provide Water Transportation Between All U. S. Ports and Ports on Gulf

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Southern Pacific Railroad Steamship Lines which now render service between Galveston and New Orleans and New York, may increase sailing, the Interstate Commerce commission decided today to provide water transportation between nearly all New England ports and ports on the Gulf of Mexico west of New Orleans without violating Interstate Commerce laws.

Increased service, the commission held, will be of advantage to commerce and will not tend to exclude competition of independent water lines.

The right to maintain a line between Houston, Tex., and Philadelphia, however, was refused on the ground that independent steamship service now rendered between these ports would be endangered.

All rates, sailing schedules and regulations of the Atlantic Steamship Lines, the Southern Pacific subsidiary which will operate the projected service must be submitted to the commission before becoming effective. The decision resulted from the application of the Southern Pacific as a rail and water carrier for permission to extend the scope of its steamship operations which are under the jurisdiction of the commission. An issue as to the legality of a railroad going into extensive competition with steamship lines was raised, and although the majority of the commission held that authority to do this could be given the Southern Pacific, Commissioners Eastman, Campbell and Potter dissented.

Commissioner Eastman expressed the opinion that the law forbade such extension of service, and declared further that the Southern Pacific had given no assurance that it would extend the steamship service as outlined if permission were given while independent ship lines would be forced to "hesitate before risking competition with steamships so subsidized by the Southern Pacific."

The majority opinion, however, declared: "Under consideration of the record we are of opinion and find that the rail lines of the applicant may compete with its steamship lines but that the operation of those lines in either regular or irregular service between New York and Sabine Pass, Texas City, Freeport, Houston and Orange, Tex., and between Portland, Me., Boston, Fall River and New Bedford, Mass., Providence, R. I., Philadelphia and Baltimore on the one hand, and New Orleans, Galveston and the other gulf ports named on the other except from Philadelphia to Houston, is in the interest of the public and of advantage to the convenience and commerce of the people and will neither exclude, prevent nor reduce competition on the routes by water under consideration."

Discussing the legality of its action the commission majority declared that congress in forbidding railroad control of steamship lines had intended to prevent the strangling of fair competition against railroads. The Southern Pacific's present objective, it was declared, was not to restrict competition against its rail lines but to provide new service and increase rather than reduce competition in transportation service. While independent steamship service has been established between North Atlantic and Gulf ports, it was added, there has been no material improvement or increase in the facilities offered to shippers on those general routes for two years.

ANOTHER COLD SPELL COMING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The weather bureau today reported cold weather advancing rapidly southeastward from the Canadian northwest. The forecasters expect colder weather tomorrow or Sunday in all states east of the Mississippi.

Buys Big Land Tract

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adjoined on its westerly side by the Gookin estate, recently purchased for the purpose of development by Harry Wheeler and Edward W. Trull and on the east, by the Mary W. Baker estate, and is practically opposite Raven road.

It is the plan of the new purchaser, it is understood, to develop the land into a high grade, restricted residential tract. A new street, to be named Park road, will be cut through and will be of the parkway type, with grass plot running through its centre to divide the two roadways. The type of homes to be built will be distinctly first class and there will be restrictions placed to carry out this plan.

The purchase in itself is of unusual interest and importance because of its magnitude, but, also it marks another step in the development of that section of Andover street which long has been considered ideal for residential purposes.

Details of the sale are being handled through the office of Thomas H. Elliott in Central street.

GERMANS TURN TO AMERICA

Unions Appeal to "Traditional American Honor and Appreciation of Fair Play"

Message Gives Expression to "Feeling of Alarm" Felt by 12,000,000 Workers

BERLIN, Feb. 2—(By the Associated Press) The "traditional American honor and appreciation of fair play" are appealed to in a message forwarded by leading trade union executives to the senate and house of representatives in Washington.

The appeal which gives expression to "the feeling of alarm" with which 12,000,000 German workers view the Ruhr occupation, voices the confidence that the United States "did not enter the war for the purpose of annihilating the German people," and declares that "American honor asserted at this time, can save Europe and the world from inevitable disaster."

The chairmen of the executive boards of the four union federations who signed the message say that the step has been taken without the knowledge of official circles.

The Ruhr occupation and the Versailles treaty, the message asserts, have made inevitable a condition of servitude repugnant to the German worker. Not only are the German and European economic systems destroyed, but unemployment for millions of Germans is threatened.

The workers reaffirm "that because of America's positive promise that right and justice shall prevail, they substituted democracy for autocracy, submitted to complete disarmament, and gave unqualified expression of their desire to work for peace and international reconciliation."

The message asserts that the appeal is now "an attempt to induce the United States to take an attitude in favor of one or the other of the opposing parties." It is signed by the chairman of the executive boards of the general federation of trade unions, the federation of Christian labor unions, the league of clerical employes, and the independent federation of Liberal Trade Unions.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg.

Lamps—"If it's a lamp, we have it." Electric Shop, 52 Central st.

Medium Brown Hair looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo.

Learn to dance. Bay State Dancing school, 265 Dutton st. Tel. 6416.

Fire and liability insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

It was announced at the Y.W.C.A. today that no more gymnasium classes will be held until February 12th, when the second term opens.

Mr. George A. Bryant of the local office of the New England Telephone Co. has been called to Newburyport by the sudden death of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Gale Bryant.

The annual midwinter party and dance by the employes of the C. F. Hatch company will be held this year in Highland club hall on Tuesday evening, February 6th.

A slight blaze in a taxicab at the corner of Merrimack and Aiken streets was responsible for a telephone alarm at 9.47 o'clock this morning. No damage.

Miss Rose Walsh, dramatic reader, will appear at the Colonial theatre one week from today to give a reading on "The Truth" under the auspices of the Notre Dame Alumnae association.

In line with their policy of keeping their machinery in the Textile school up-to-date, the Saco-Lowell shops have removed a cotton slasher which has been there for several years and replaced it with a modern machine.

Emmett Harris of 60 Fay street, this city, has passed the state certified accountancy examination and will immediately take up that type of work. Mr. Harris, now working in Boston, is a brother of Dr. Paul R. Harris of Philadelphia, but formerly connected with St. John's hospital in this city. Emmett Harris is a graduate of the Sacred Heart and Lowell high schools and of the Bentley School of Accountancy, Boston.

Miss Cecilia L. Connors, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Connors of 77 Hampshire street, left Lowell today for St. Catharine's, Kentucky, where she will prepare for the Dominican sisterhood. Miss Connors is a graduate of St. Michael's school, class of 1915, and also attended the Lowell high school. She has two brothers, Rev. Arthur F. Connors, now stationed in Buffalo, N. Y., and James, at present preparing for the priesthood in the Oblate scholasticate in Washington, D. C.

North Pomona Grange

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committee appointment or a fair table assignment. It was good-natured, of course, but the merits of a fine milch cow were lauded to the skies and of course the Rhode Island Reds, the White Orpingtons, White Leghorns, Brahmas and plain Plymouth Rocks all had able and very sincere supporters.

Experts talking upon various subjects relating to farm animals and poultry today included Brothers Harrison of Westford, Kimball of Chelmsford and Dawson of Tewksbury. If anything, so The Sun man was told, the string of 50 poultry of the non-moulting and tested strains had the jagged edge on the mooly cow in the long run, but not putting any cramps on the cow either, for that matter.

At 12.30 mashed potatoes, corned beef and ham, Chelmsford garden peas, plain brown baked beans, all kinds of good thick juicy pies, hot coffee and desserts with orange and banana trimmings made the dining tables sag a bit, and nearly 200 grangers sat down to the repast that these members of West Chelmsford grange provided:

Chairman, Mrs. David Olson; Mrs. Annie Edwards, Mrs. Louisa Hale, Mrs. Lulu Johnson, Miss Ebba Haberman, Mrs. Charlotte Goodman and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith.

Winter Egg Production

This afternoon the grangers had an "open meeting" with the hall filled with members, out of town guests and many Lowell friends of both sexes. The program included an address by Robert B. Trask of the Middlesex county bureau of agriculture, whose subject was: "Winter Egg Production." A question box followed. West Chelmsford grange provided an excellent entertainment, including readings by Master Warren Deane, soprano solos by Mrs. Elizabeth Smith and piano solos by Mrs. Elmer Trull, all of West Chelmsford.

The leading poultrymen in Middlesex county have taken hold of the new project in poultry accounting in fine shape. Already more than 60 farmers and poultrymen have started. Any poultryman who has not already signified his desire to enter this project can do so if he will notify the county office at once.

Among the list of Middlesex county poultrymen in the present record listing project are Rev. Ed. A. Robinson, Fred S. Mears, A. Warren Stearns, Joseph B. Nicholson, C. D. Tutein, Billerica; Dove W. Sleeper, Mrs. Robert Millican, Burlington; John A. Davis, Carlisle; Miss H. E. Ober, Miss May E. Miles, Ralph W. Emerson, A. Hendy Park, Chelmsford; Clark M. Chrysler, Dracut; Dr. J. A. Gage, Tyngsboro; Leon F. Hildreth, Westford.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT BUDGET WILL APPROXIMATE $1,320,000

Budget Discussed at Meeting of School Committee Last Evening—List of Salaries Adopted—Mayor Suggests Boxing and Wrestling at the High School—Other Business

The school department budget for the year 1923 will amount to about $1,320,000. The various estimates as submitted by Supt. Molloy and Business Agent Williams were discussed at a special meeting of the school board last evening and after some discussion and changes, the budget was finally adopted and after the list of appropriations is put in shape, it will be presented to the municipal council and budget commission for adoption. In the course of the meeting Mr. Delaney urged that a watchman be placed on duty at the high school nights, and the mayor suggested that boxing and wrestling be made a part of the physical training at the high school and both propositions were well received.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Donovan shortly before 6 o'clock and the appropriations for salaries for the various teachers and other employes of the department were tackled.

The list of salaries adopted was as follows:

Administration, $27,250.
Day high school, $182,900.
Junior high schools, $113,720.
Grammar schools, $235,620.
Primary schools, $170,590.
Kindergartens, $36,770.
Special teachers, $41,770.
Permanent substitutes, $30,000.
Day janitors, $123,050.
Repairers, $7700.
Engineer and firemen, $8060.
Summer classes, $5000.
Janitors' pension, $844.68.
Evening high school teachers, $15,000.
Evening elementary school teachers, $9525.
Evening high school janitors, $4775.
Evening elementary school janitors, $2775.
Americanization teachers, $10,000.
Americanization janitors, $675.
Day Vocational teachers, $27,200.
Evening Vocational teachers, $22,145.
Day Vocational janitors, $950.
Evening Vocational janitors, $2700.
Continuation school teachers, $21,870.

It was stated that the increases over last year's expenditures in the list of salaries were to allow for schedule increases and more teachers, but in no case was a further increase contemplated for any teacher or other employe.

After the salary had been approved, Mr. Delaney stated that in his opinion a night watchman should be put on duty at the high school. He said the building cost the city over $2,000,000, and during the night-time it is without protection. Chief Attendance Officer Thornton stated that within the past few weeks there have been no less than three breaks in the school during the night. It was suggested that an appropriation be asked for the salary of a night watchman at the school, and Mr. Mullin stated that in his opinion the man's salary will be saved on insurance rates. Accordingly, the item for evening high school janitors was increased from $2775 to $4775 to make provision for the salary of a watchman.

Another matter brought up before the meeting was that of adding boxing and wrestling to the physical training at the high school. This suggestion was made by Mayor Donovan, who stated that he had occasion to visit the school shortly after his inauguration and saw that these two essential sports were missing from the list of physical training. He stated that his experiences in the army have taught him that wrestling and boxing are very essential in the making up of a young man. The proposition was well received by the board, and Mr. Delaney suggested that a special appropriation be made for this innovation, but Mr. Molloy stated that enough money could be taken from the overlays to cover the additional expense.

Another matter which was called to the attention of the board was that of providing money for the erection of portable schools. Supt. Molloy said it may be that the department will need four portable schools during the year and he thought it advisable to include $6000 in the budget. In the course of a discussion that followed, during which Dr. Slaughter called attention to complaints received last year from teachers and pupils on account of the lack of heat in the portable schools, Mr. Molloy stated that the complaints were from the Washington school, while at the Morey school, where two of these schools were in operation, everyone seemed satisfied.

The various estimates on bills for 1923, as well as the estimated revenues, receipts and reimbursements were discussed and finally after some changes, the entire budget was approved. Copies of the revised budget will be made and sent to the budget commission and city council.

POLICE THINK THEY HAVE COIN MUTILATOR

In the arrest of a middle-aged, prosperous looking man, giving the name of William Petropoulos, and address as Brooklyn, N. Y., the local police feel they have apprehended the currency mutilator who has been passing $5 bills raised to $20 bills in this city.

Petropoulos was arrested yesterday afternoon by Capt. David Petrie, Inspector John A. Walsh and Sergt. Philip Dwyer in the drug store of Peter Chagaruly at the corner of Suffolk and Market streets. The arrest followed a telephone message to headquarters that Petropoulos entered Chagaruly's store and inquired for a Greek residing in Dracut.

The proprietor became suspicious of the man's actions and called the police. A search of the prisoner's clothing revealed about $150 in good money, but no raised bills were found. In the district court this morning, he pleaded not guilty to the charge and is being held in bonds of $1000. Secret service agents were expected from Boston this afternoon to take the man to the Hub for further hearing.

The following is the list of Greek merchants on whom Petropoulos is alleged to have attempted to work his scheme: John Kretis, 342 Market street; Peter Bolaris, 527 Market street; Avangles Pappachrealos, 69 Dummer street; Evangelos Papposterions, 32 Lewis street; James Karelas, 424 Market street; Michael Koulevaris, 618 Market street; John Kasternakes, 445 Market street, and James Geavis, 436 Market street. Each of the above-named identified the stranger at police headquarters last night.

REQUEST ASSISTANCE OF LOCAL POLICE

A communication has been received at police headquarters from Alfred F. Foote, commissioner of public safety in Massachusetts requesting the assistance of the Lowell police in locating Thomas Arthur Miller, alias Arthur Eischenberger who deserted his wife and two minor children, aged respectively, 2 years and 3 years on Nov. 10, 1922. Miller is described as being about 36 years of age, 5 feet, 7 inches in height, weighing 150 pounds. His hair is black, streaked with gray over the temples. He is a mechanic or chauffeur by occupation.

The police also received a telephone message from Manchester, N. H., this morning stating that a man, giving the names of Albert McArthur and Albert H. Parker, had been arrested in that city, charged with passing worthless cheques.

JUBILEE CELEBRATION IN AUDITORIUM

The celebration of the silver jubilee of Branch St. Andre, A.C.F., in this city next Sunday will be featured by the presence of numerous branches from other parts of Massachusetts and New Hampshire. Tancred L. Blanchette, secretary-treasurer of the general committee on arrangements, has received information to the effect that branches from North Adams, Springfield, Athol, Worcester, Salem, Haverhill, Lynn, Nashua, Manchester and Franklin, N. H., will come to Lowell Sunday morning in a body and will attend the church service and mass meeting in the Auditorium in the afternoon.

The visitors as well as the members of Branch St. Andre and other local societies that will participate in the festivities, will assemble in Grafton hall at 9 o'clock and at 10 all will march to St. Joseph's church in Lee street, where solemn high mass of thanksgiving will be celebrated. The chief marshal of the parade will be Charles Normandin, marshal of Branch St. Andre. The roster of the parade will consist of Branches St. Andre, St. Louis, Pawtucketville, St. Marie, St. Joseph and St. Evelyn, A.C.F., all of this city, visiting societies, members of the city government headed by Mayor Donovan, and out-of-town guests.

The plans for the mass meeting in the afternoon have been changed because of the great demand for admission tickets. It had been planned at first to conduct the meeting which will be in the form of a fraternal educational meeting in Liberty hall, but the demand for tickets, which are free, has been so great, that the committee with the approval of the trustees of the Auditorium, have decided to hold the meeting in the Auditorium. Those with tickets will be accommodated first and then the large hall will be thrown open to the public.

Reservations for the banquet, which will be held in the evening at the C.M.A.C. hall, have been completed and the list of speakers has been secured. The event promises to be a notable one in the history of French fraternal societies in this city, for the committee in charge, which is composed of members of the various branches of the order, is sparing no time or effort to make the affair a most successful one.

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$7.50 and $8.50 Silk Shirts $4.95
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$3.00 Union Suits $1.65
$4.50 Heavy Union Suits $2.95
$2.00 and $2.50 Wool Shirts and Drawers, each $1.00

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20c Hosiery 8 Pairs for $1.00
25c Hosiery 6 Pairs for $1.00
50c Cashmere Hosiery 3 Pairs $1.00
85c Notaseme Hosiery 2 Pairs $1.00
$1.00 Heavy Imported Wool Hosiery, 69¢—2 Pairs for $1.00

Ladies' Hosiery Specials
$2.00 Silk Stockings $1.35
$2.50 Silk Stockings $1.65
$3.00 Silk Stockings $2.00

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CONSTABLE'S SALE

By virtue of a writ issued from the District Court I shall sell at PUBLIC AUCTION on SATURDAY at 2 O'Clock in the afternoon the stock of goods and fixtures situated at No. 626 Middlesex Street as follows: A complete line of canned goods, tobacco, candies, one Dayton computing scales, showcases, to be sold in one lot for cash.

LEO L. TRUDEL, Constable of Lowell.